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## DARK CLOUDS HANG OVER EUROPE: CZECH BORDER TENSION

Lord Halifax Hurriedly Returns To London

## WHITEHALL IN CLOSE TOUCH WITH PARIS: TROOPING RUMOURS

PARIS, YESTERDAY.  
A DENIAL HAS BEEN GIVEN TO THE BRITISH AMBASSADOR, BUT A SIMILAR DENIAL WAS PUBLISHED ON THE EVE OF THE ANSCHLUSS WITH AUSTRIA, SO LET US BE PREPARED.

This is the dramatic comment by one Paris newspaper to-day in commenting on the sudden development of grave tension over Czechoslovakia, a strong anti-Czech campaign in Germany and the British demarche in Berlin yesterday.

It will be recalled that the Ambassador, Sir Nevile Henderson, called at the Reich Foreign Office and asked, and was given, an assurance that there is no mobilising or large-scale troop movements on the borders of Germany.—Reuter.

London, Yesterday.

The Foreign Secretary, Lord Halifax, returned to the Foreign Office to-day from Oxford in order to maintain close touch with the Prime Minister over the week-end because of the Czechoslovakian tension. Mr. Chamberlain is in the country.

Official circles state that the British Government's view of the refusal of the Sudeten Germans to negotiate with the Czech Government without certain guarantees, is putting the cart before the horse, as guarantees obviously form part of the negotiations.—Reuter.

### TROOP MOVEMENTS CAUSE DISQUIET

London, Yesterday.

News of movements of troops on the German side of the Czechoslovak frontier is causing much uneasiness here, although it has been denied in German quarters that the regrouping of troops is connected with Sunday's elections in Czechoslovakia.

Political circles are gravely concerned at the turn taken by events, as reports here from all parts of Czechoslovakia give rise to the fear that dangerous developments may occur on election day.

It is emphasised that the British Government is strongly advising the Czechoslovak Government to prevent by all possible means any provocations by Czech nationalist organisations and arbitrary acts by the police.—Trans-Ocean.

Paris, Yesterday.

On the eve of the polling in Czechoslovakia, the European situation is creating some nervousness in political circles here.

The French and British Governments are known to be in constant telephonic communication with one another and there will be no week-end holiday for responsible statesmen in either Paris or London.

### HENLEIN MEETING HERR HITLER

According to reports here from Prague, the leader of the Sudeten German Party, Herr Henlein, will have an important talk with Chancellor Hitler at Berchtesgaden to-day, when the Czechoslovak Government's proposals for settlement of the minorities problem will be discussed.

At the same time the firm attitude of the Berlin press is much commented on. Nervousness has been increased by the news that two Sudeten German farmers were shot dead near the frontier by Czechoslovak National Guards this morning.

Considerable impression has also been created by news of the demarche of the British Ambassador in Berlin in connection with the reported movements of German troops near the Czechoslovak border, as well as by messages from Prague announcing that the Czechoslovak General Staff is taking certain precautionary measures in the Sudeten area.

French political circles clearly perceive a close connection between the three acute problems of Czechoslovakia, Spain and Franco-Italian relations, so that the next moves on the European political chessboard are eagerly awaited.

Meanwhile, some representatives of the recently dissolved German democratic parties in Czechoslovakia have arrived in Paris to carry on propaganda against Herr Henlein's programme.

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## Prague Feverish And Excited

PRAGUE, YESTERDAY.  
THE WHOLE CITY WAS IN A FEVERISH STATE OF EXCITEMENT THIS AFTERNOON. CROWDS ARE STATIONED BEFORE NEWSPAPER OFFICES TO READ THE LATEST DESPATCHES, WHICH CONTINUE TO REPORT DISTURBANCES IN VARIOUS LOCALITIES, AND THE GENERAL FEELING IS ONE OF DEPRESSION.

Unofficial reports from the Sudeten frontier region state that a large number of Czechoslovak frontier guards and gendarmes are being concentrated there, while the police have been reinforced in all towns in the Sudeten area.

It appears that a state of emergency was proclaimed last night in the small Sudeten town of Graglitz but the measure was rescinded this morning.

Nervousness is increased by the fact that no official statement on the situation has been forthcoming for the past three days except for the declaration made by the Government spokesman in reply to an enquiry regarding the Government's attitude in view of the refusal of the Sudeten German Party to negotiate before order has been restored.

### OFFICIAL STATEMENT

The spokesman said: "I can only refer you to Premier Hodza's statement to representatives of the Czech coalition press that the Government will take most energetic measures to prevent excesses, and will establish order."

A declaration published this afternoon by the Sudeten German Party states: "The party executive has given strictest instructions to party members to remain absolutely calm despite the provocation of the Czech police as jingos."—Trans-Ocean.

## SIR NEVILLE AT WILHELMSTRASSE

Berlin, Yesterday.  
The British Ambassador, Sir Nevile Henderson, called on the Foreign Minister, Herr von Ribbentrop, this morning but no official statement has been made concerning their conversation.

Informed quarters, however, affirm that the Czechoslovak question was discussed.—Trans-Ocean.

## TWO GERMANS SHOT DEAD ON BORDER

Prague, Yesterday.  
Two German farmers named Boehm and Hofmann were fired on and killed by Czechoslovak National Guards early this morning when motor-cycling from Eger to Franzensbad.

The shots were fired from barracks where a detachment of frontier guards is lodged.

Hofmann was killed on the spot. Boehm, although severely wounded, was not transported to hospital until two hours later.

In spite of an immediate operation, Boehm succumbed shortly afterwards.

According to Boehm's account, the shots were fired without the slightest warning.

Tense excitement prevails in the town of Eger, where the streets are patrolled by armed Czechoslovak National Guards.

### OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUE

Regarding the shooting, an official communiqué issued at noon states that two persons on a motorcycle who were about to cross the frontier were challenged by a sentry.

As the motorcycle continued on its way the sentry fired with the result that one person was killed outright while the other was severely injured.—Trans-Ocean.

## BRUENN DEMONSTRATION

Prague, Yesterday.  
Demonstrations against the Sudeten German Party which began in front of the "Deutsche Haus" in Bruenn on Thursday night continued when Czech University students demonstrated.

During the afternoon further demonstrations occurred and police formed numerous cordons to hold back the crowds.

Germans patrolled the busiest streets armed with rifles and bayonets and they, with police who had been reinforced, had the situation well in hand.—Trans-Ocean.



The King and Queen and the Little Princess leaving St. Margaret's, Westminster, after the wedding of the Queen's niece, Miss Anne Bowne-Lyon, to Viscount Anson, of the Grenadier Guards. Their Majesties have just completed a four-day tour of Lancashire. (Copy right: By Air Mail).

## Air Battle Over Lanfeng

Shanghai, Yesterday.  
According to Japanese reports an air-battle over Lanfeng occurred between several Japanese and Chinese pursuit planes yesterday.

Five of the Chinese planes are claimed to have been shot down, but vernacular reports state that after the Chinese brought down two of the enemy machines the Japanese immediately turned tail.

Chinese tanks were reported

in action to-day against the Japanese north-east of Lanfeng, where the Japanese are still making desperate attempts to reach the railway track.

Japanese intelligence reports claim that between Lanfeng and Kaifeng the Chinese have massed over 30 divisions of crack troops.—Our Own Correspondent.

## ARTILLERY AUDIBLE IN SHANGHAI

SHANGHAI, YESTERDAY.  
ARTILLERY FIRE WAS HEARD ABOUT EIGHT TO TEN MILES SOUTH-EAST OF SHANGHAI INTERMITTENTLY DURING TO-DAY.

It is believed that Japanese units were engaged in "mopping up" operations against Chinese guerrillas around Shanghai.

Questioned this evening at the press conference, the Japanese military spokesman stated: "We believe the gunfire was target practice but we hope it was directed against guerrillas."—Reuter.

## SUDeten PAPER CONFISCATED

Prague, Yesterday.  
The first Saturday edition of the Sudeten German Party's daily paper "Die Zeit" was confiscated last night on account of its reports on the serious clashes in Komotau and Cholau.—Trans-Ocean.

## JAPS. TRY TO MAKE BRITISH SHIP PAY TAX

Shanghai, Yesterday.  
A Japanese officer who boarded

the British-owned steamer "Christine Moller" here yesterday, together with six officials of the "Tatiao City Government," was unsuccessful in obtaining payment of "taxes" for cargo the vessel was carrying.

The Japanese officer requested the ship's compradore to pay him a "tax" of \$1 per head on livestock included in the cargo.

The compradore refused to comply with the order.

Two Chinese junks which were being towed by the "Christine Moller" were made to pay a tax on their cargoes.—Reuter.

## SUDDEN DEATH OF B. & S. OFFICER

Chungking, Yesterday.  
Mr. H. A. Morrison, the Scottish Chief Engineer of the Butterfield and Swire steamer "Wanliu," died yesterday morning while the ship was en route to Chungking.

No further details at present are available but the inquest has been fixed for to-morrow, when the vessel arrived in port.

The "Wanliu" is expected here about midday.—Reuter.

## KING ALBERT MEMORIAL

Paris, Yesterday.  
A memorial window to the late King Albert of the Belgians is to be unveiled in Ypres Cathedral by King Leopold to-day.

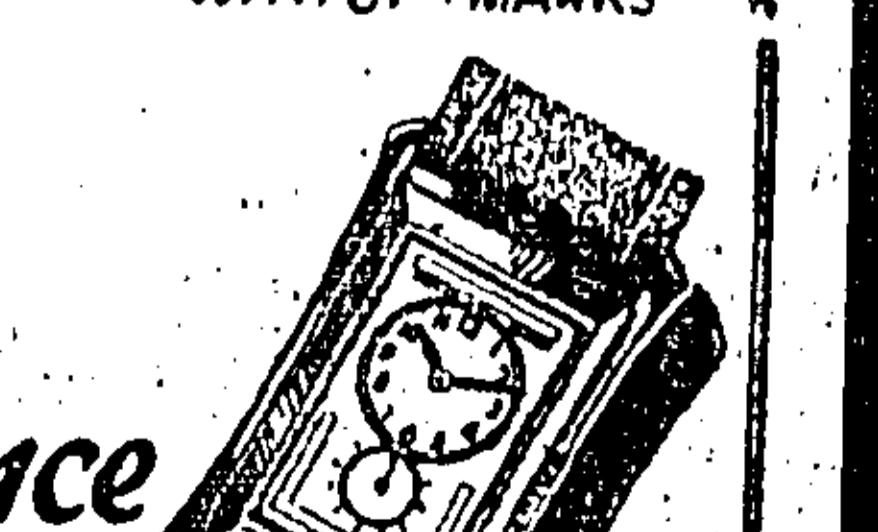
At the unveiling ceremony a guard of honour will be provided by detachments of the R.A.F. and the 5th Royal Inniskilling, of which King Leopold is Colonel-in-Chief while the band of the Royal Fusiliers will be in attendance.—Reuter.

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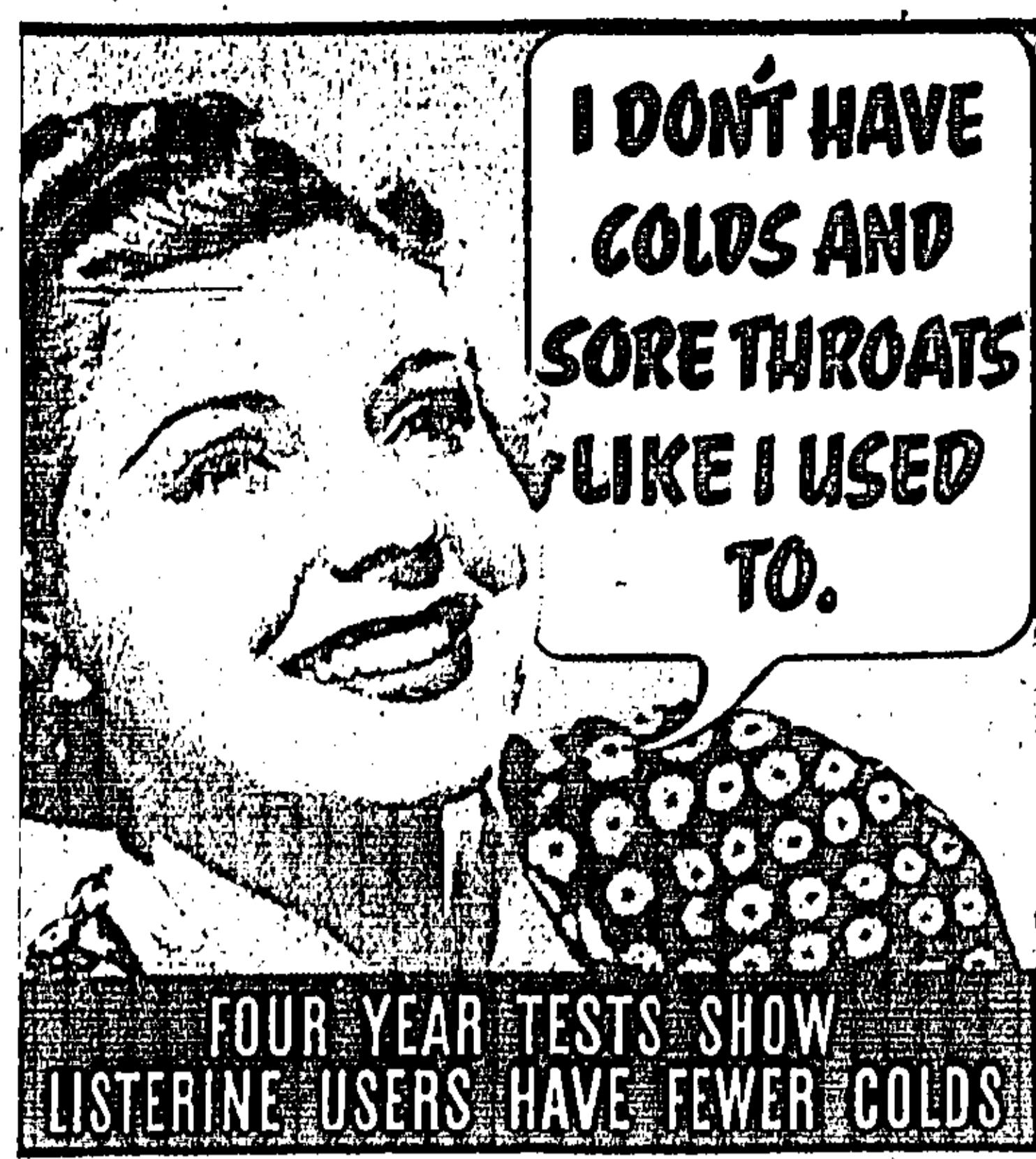
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one fine morning resolved to be notorious if he could not be famous. As a preliminary step he wrote letters to all the papers expounding to his fellowmen the tonic effects of strawberry sports jackets, duck-egg blue and primrose silken underwear, vermillion and ultramarine ties patterned with shamrocks and orange blossom, green felt hats worn over one eye at a devastating angle, and evening cloaks lined with bright silk or satin.

His next step was to put his own advice into practice.

In the past, Mrs. Tryall had never tired of deriding the timidity and conservatism of men in general, and her husband in particular. But, when Mr. Tryall came home with hardly any wages one Friday and a mysterious parcel under his arm, she was properly incensed. When he joined her, after dinner, in readiness for the theatre, wearing a white jacket, instead of the conventional black, she delivered herself of a peroration that would have done credit to a weightier cause, ending with, "And just think of the laundry bills!"

#### More To Come

But worse was in store. He acquired a green hat, a mauve corduroy coat, scarlet sandals, bottle-green socks with white diamonds, primrose and green shirts—all the things, in fact, that he had advocated through the medium of the public Press.

And did Mrs. Tryall fall on his neck for following her advice so earnestly? She did not. She went home to mother and complained that her husband had become all brutal and selfish. And the only way he got her back was by presenting the whole box of tricks to her. She was delighted with the ties, which lent tone to her own suits. And her milliner was able to do marvellous things to the green hat, and soon had it converted into exactly the creation that Mrs. Tryall had always wanted and never been able to get anywhere.

And, by the time she had made down the beautiful silken singlets to her own measurements and style, she had quite forgiven him.

IT is bound to remain an ethical rather than an economic problem. There is one compensating factor for the wife, and that is that while her husband is earning, neither ill-health nor advancing years can bring the shadow of insecurity.

The man with any sense will never dole out expense money to his wife bit by bit nor interfere with her management. He will give her an generous a margin as his means allow and accept her budgeting without question, treating her to the same amount of freedom in her job as he expects her to accord to him in his.

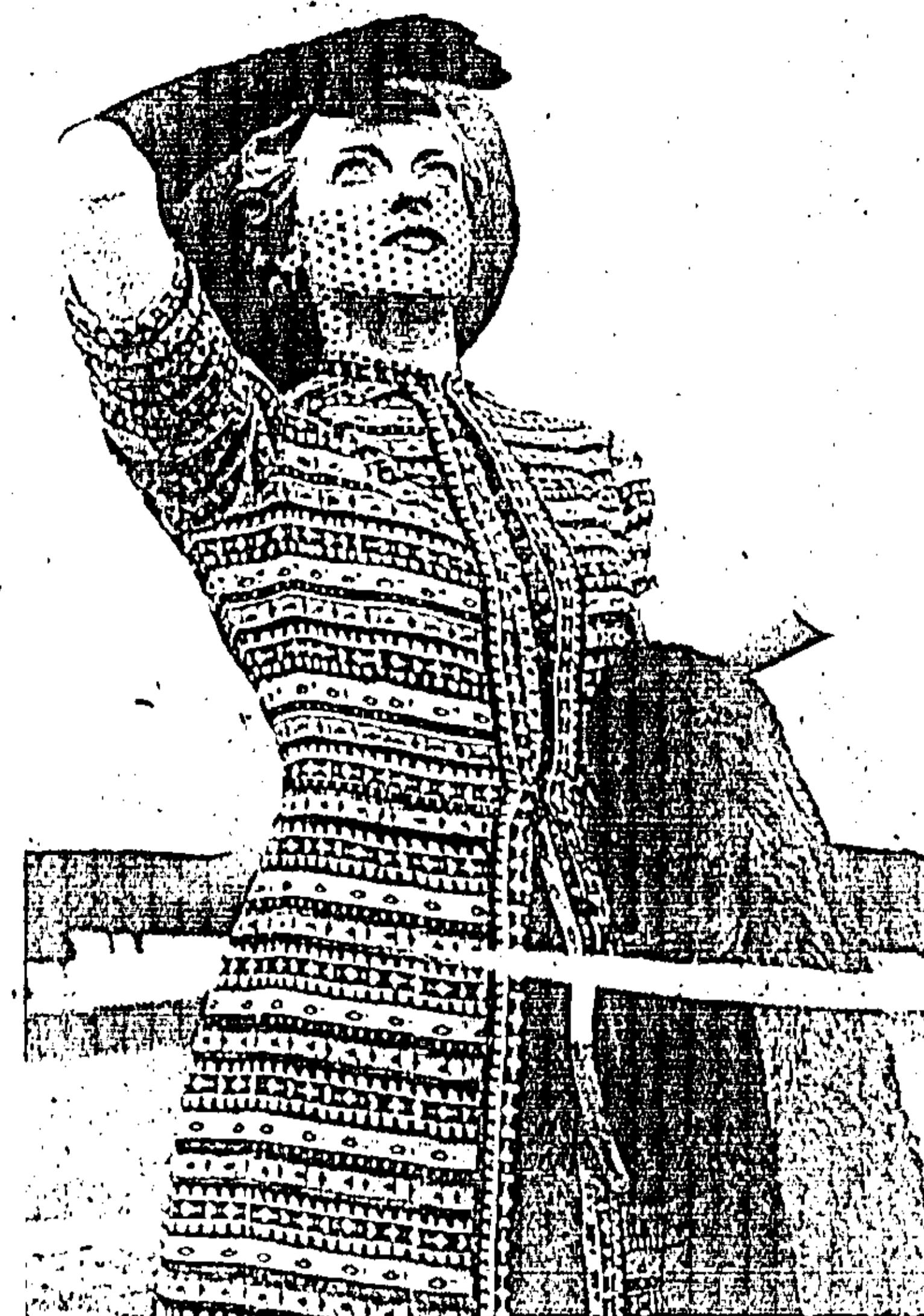
As things are, there is even more disparity in the lot of women than there is among men.

Nearly all wives are grossly overworked or very underworked, and, as a general rule, the harder they work the smaller their pecuniary reward.

COMPARATIVELY little is known about the work of London's evening institutes by any but those in immediate contact with them. I guarantee that the rest of the population would be more than a little surprised at the cultural influence and growth of them.

Recently I witnessed a dramatic venture in New Park-road, Streatham, which was the product of this work. As a keen theatre-goer, I was surprised and delighted with the originality of the production which was a far cry from the days of second-rate playlets performed by self-conscious amateurs.

It consisted of dramatic portraits of England's queens, with extracts from famous plays, strung together by clever com-



A garden party with 300 m.p.h. warplanes as 'sideshows' instead of coconut-shies, was held at the Fourth Annual Garden Party given by the Royal Aeronautical Society at the Fairey airfield, Harmondsworth, Middlesex, on May 8. 4,000 Government, diplomatic, Air Ministry and parliamentary guests attended. Photo shows—Mrs. M. Shipley, wearing a striking fashion, seen at the garden party watching the planes. (Air Mail: Copyright).

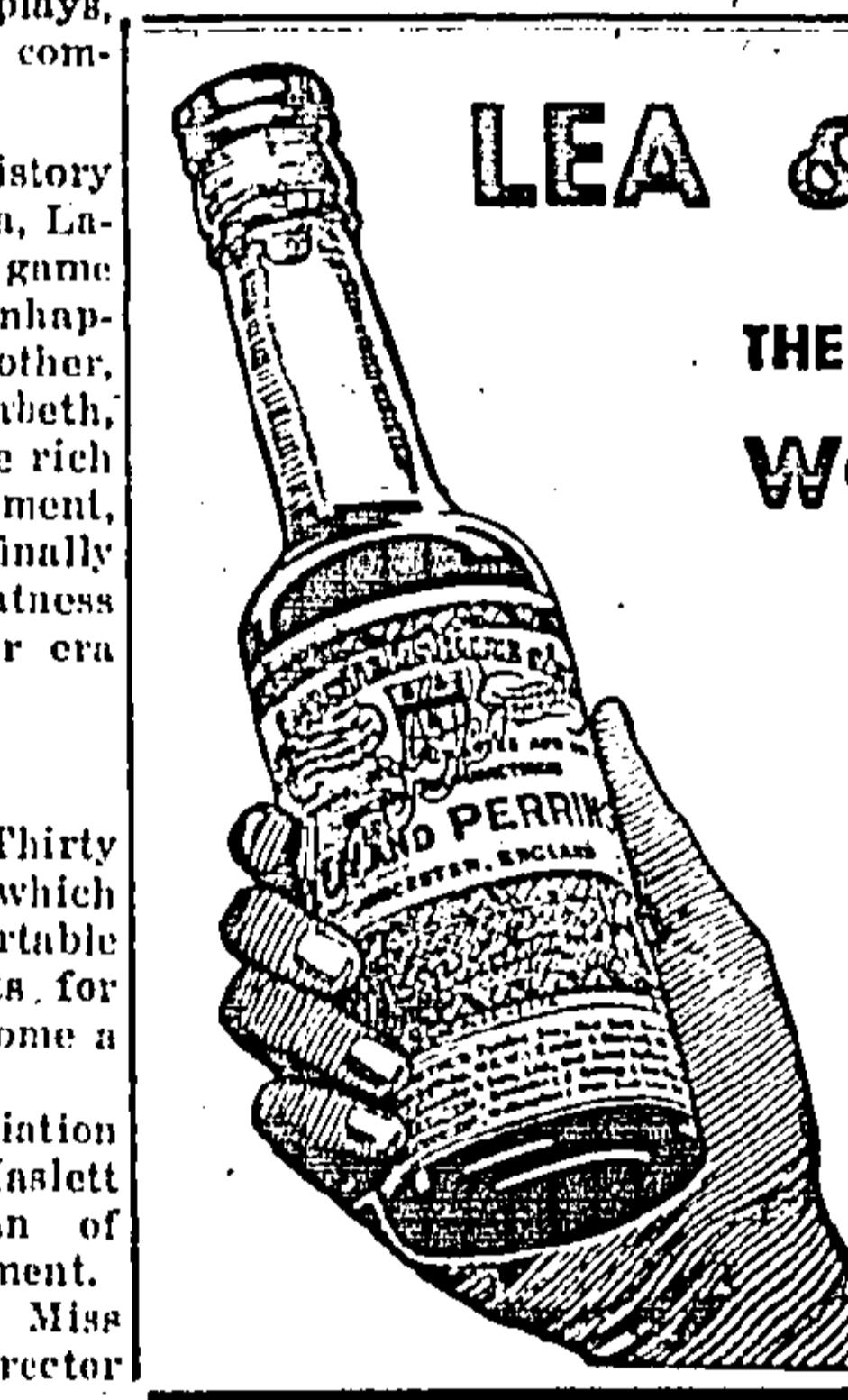
and pioneer of the Electrical Age and sense of proportion which association for Women has also counts for the way in which she gave her expert knowledge of was able to disarm prejudice in housing, I cannot think of any her early pioneer days. Miss Haslett declares that she was considered a "failure" at school apparently because she failed to show designs of developing a comfortable sense of humour on conventional lines.

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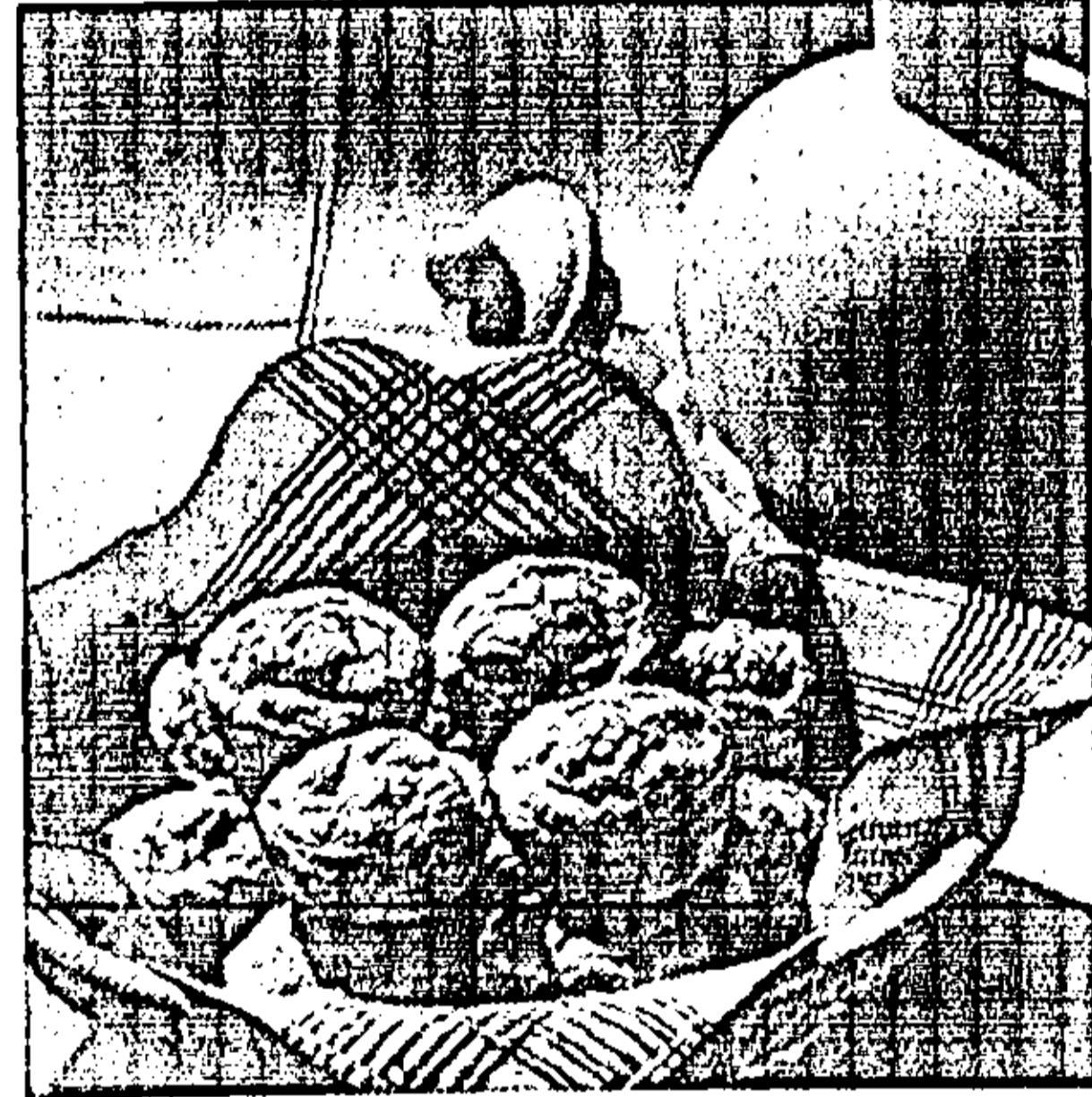


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## Wesley Bi-Centenary

## Man Who Changed England

ON Tuesday, in most parts of the world himself writes of that tremendous day in his life. "That evening I went, very unwillingly, to a Society in Aldermangate Street, where one was reading Luther's preface to the Epistle to the Romans. About a quarter before nine, while he was describing the change which God works in the heart through faith in Christ, I felt my heart strangely warmed. I felt I did trust in Christ, Christ alone, for salvation; and an assurance was given me, that He had taken away my sins, even mine, and saved me from the law of sin and death."

May 24th, 1938, will mark the bi-centenary of the conversion of the Rev. John Wesley, conservative cleric and staunch Churchman who became leader of the largest religious movement of that century.

He was born in 1703, and died, a worker to the last, in the year 1791; his life practically covering the whole century.

## Simplicity And Rigour

It was a life in striking contrast with the lives of many of his own class and station.

He lived with the simplicity of St. Francis of Assisi, and with the rigour of Paul of Tarsus.

England at that time was already of this conversion. Here is most a roadless country with the man who ten years before had industrial revolution just at its been ordained Priest of the beginning. For over forty years Church of England, had already this remarkable little man travelled to and fro throughout the British Isles, and covered a distance life while at Oxford University, which has been computed to be at and had already served his Church least a quarter of a million miles as a missionary in Georgia. Did He crossed the Irish Channel fifty a man in his position need sometimes preached more than 40,000 sermons; wrote more than 200 books; and was better acquainted with English life and the state of his experience. He had found himself than any other man a new man through doing a very simple thing—having a

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Wesley can only be described as phenomenal. He kept a journal in which he wrote in simple force; three years he had one message full style a daily account of his travels. "Believe in the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved." The key note was faith — faith in Christ as one who could and did act upon his word to men. He also kept a diary carefully written in his own shorthand. He preached on this subject system. It is from this more intimate record that we are able to see something of how the man organised his life.

## English Life In 1736

Wesley has had many biographers, not by any means confined to the English speaking peoples. Almost without exception they portray a man who was as genuine as he was simple and as practical as he was other-worldly. Lecky, the famous 18th. Century historian has expressed his opinion that the work of Wesley must be given a prominent place amongst those influences which saved England from a revolution similar to the one which besmirched the fair name of France.

The sorry state of English life at the beginning of the Eighteenth century has been dealt with by many writers. Critics were not wanting even then, but a solid bank of moral uprightness, like a block of the New Testament Saints, in enveloped all. Many people had this way began this mighty forsaken Christianity for Deism, apostle of evangelism to change and the established Church was England. In this way he was a true member of an evangelical spirit of the times. In those days the fox-hunting parson was Paul, Augustine and Luther, in his glory with little opposition to awaken his conscience.

## Every sixth house in London was a grog shop.

## World Celebrations

People were invited to get drunk for a penny, dead drunk for two-pence, and straw was provided in the stables behind where the effects could be slept off.

This was the England of 1736. By the end of that century a change had been wrought. The Evangelical revival with its far reaching effects on religious, political and social life, had begun its work.

## The Beginning

The beginning was May 24th, 1738. But let us see what Wesley writes.



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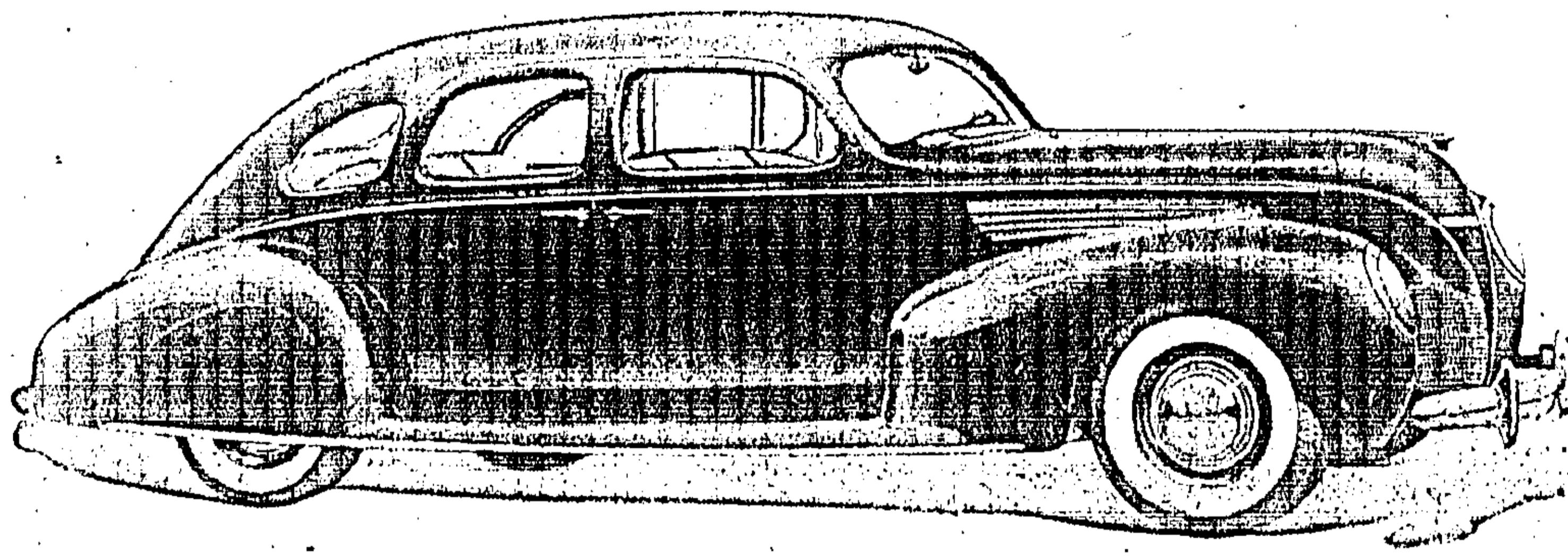
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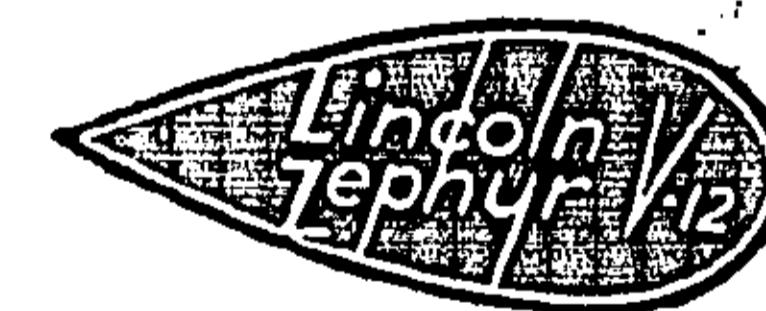
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# Confused Situation On Lunghai Line

## Japanese Held Round Lanfeng

### Canton May Be Next Main Point Of Attack

Shanghai, Yesterday.  
Details of the present confused situation in the Lunghai Railway zone will be available probably only after the visit of the four foreign correspondents who left Shanghai by plane for the war zone yesterday. Capture of Hsichow by the Japanese does not mean termination of the fighting in the Lunghai Railway zone and south Shantung.

This is proved by a report that the Japanese navy was able to disembark a landing party at Liencyunkang, the eastern terminus of the Lunghai Railway, yesterday morning only after overcoming strong Chinese resistance.

It is not yet known whether new Japanese troops have been landed there. It is more likely that the fate of the defenders and whether they are able to cut their way through the besiegers. — Trans-Ocean.

#### FIGHTING AT LANFENG

Chengchow, Yesterday. Spirited fighting continues at Lanfeng, where the Chinese, heavily reinforced, are throwing back a Japanese column from Neihuang, 15 kilometres to the east of Lanfeng.

At Neihuang, a pitched battle has been raging since Thursday. Tingtao and Wucheng, in west Shantung, remain in Chinese hands.

The Japanese column which crossed the Weishan Lake in South Shantung is now engaged at a point about 10 kilometres west of Peihsiens. — Central News.

#### CANTON NEXT

Tokyo, Yesterday. The Japanese advance in the region of Hsichow continues but as reports published in Tokyo show, the decisive struggle with the retreating Chinese that the Japanese command had so much hoped for, did not take place.

The left wing of the Japanese northern army has reached Hsichuan, 10 kilometres south of Hsichow. A motorized Japanese advance guard has reached Sutien.

A part of the Japanese press, including the official Domesi news agency begins to make propaganda for an early Japanese attack on South China and Hankow.

The Domesi agency names

### SCENE OF OPERATIONS SHIFTS

Hankow, Yesterday. The fall of Hsichow is admitted in an official communiqué issued here today.

The communiqué says that the Chinese Supreme Command decided to withdraw their troops from the city since further resistance would have resulted in serious losses, in view of the Japanese superiority in technical equipment for modern warfare.

Withdrawal of the troops, so it is declared, was carried out in perfect order and will not weaken but strengthen the firm will of the Chinese to continue resistance to the Japanese invaders.

The Chinese authorities, moreover, stress that the returning Chinese troops did not abandon any war material or supplies so that the Japanese

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Canton as goal of the next Japanese attack. — Trans-Ocean.

#### RETREATING SOUTH

Shanghai, Yesterday. The Chinese forces which failed to withdraw from Hsichow and were cut off from the remainder of the Chinese Armies, are now retreating southward, according to the spokesman at this evening's press conference.

The general line of retreat is stated to be towards Lake Hsien Tae, almost due south of Hsichow, to the east of the lower Tsinpu Railway.

In an effort to prevent the retreating remnants, now estimated at 100,000 strong, to reform and try to break across the Tsinpu line to join up with the rest of the Chinese who are reforming near Kweiteh, the Japanese are engaged in attempting to round up the retreating forces.

All day yesterday they were bombed by a group of 30 Japanese planes.

#### KWEITEH BOMBED

A number of villages harbouring concentrations of retreating Chinese were bombed, while more than 100 junks filled with Chinese soldiers were sunk in creeks and lakes.

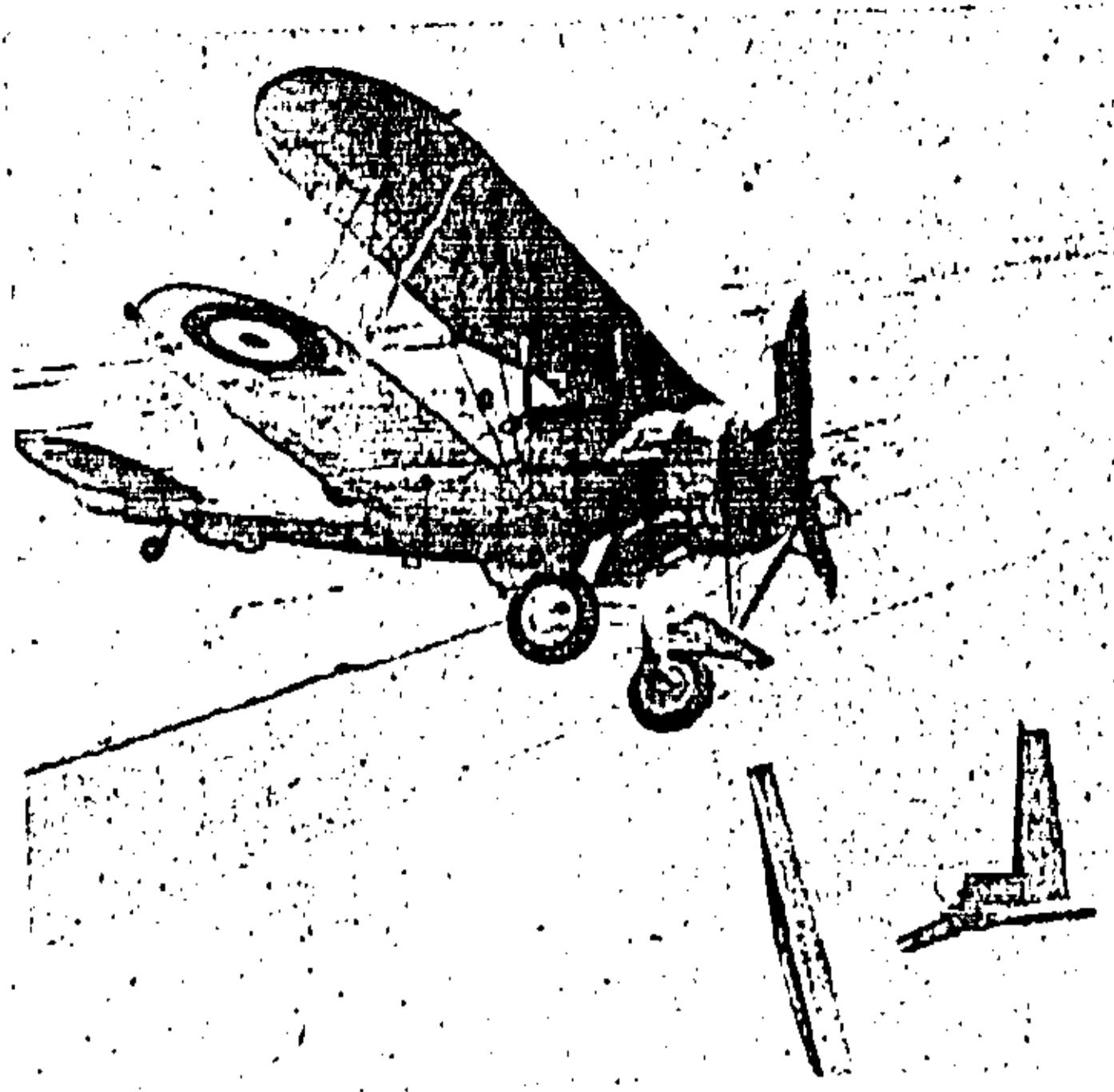
At the same time another unit of 30 Japanese planes bombed Kweiteh and surrounding villages in an effort to break up a Chinese rally in this area. — Reuter.

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# INTENSE NERVOUSNESS IN PRAGUE AS CLOUDS GATHER OVER EUROPE

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and it is believed that they are forerunners of a larger delegation. — Trans-Ocean.

#### CZECH MOBILISATION RUMOURS

Prague, Yesterday. The political situation here is becoming hourly more serious and nervousness is increasing among all sections of the population in consequence of the spread of alarming rumours.

It is reported that one class of reservists has been called up by the Czechoslovak Government but this report has been denied in official quarters, which also deny other rumours of intended mobilisation of the Czechoslovak army.

It is officially stated that quiet prevails throughout the country but all public meetings have been prohibited.

The Minister of Education, the Czech National-Socialist, Doctor Emil Franke, who was to have left for Helsingfors to-day, has, it is announced, postponed his journey owing to urgent Government business.

Disturbances still continue before the German House in Brno and all German schools in that city were closed this morning at 11 o'clock for reasons of safety. — Trans-Ocean.

#### LORD HALIFAX IN TOUCH

London, Yesterday. Owing to the disquieting news from Czechoslovakia, Lord Halifax returned unexpectedly from Oxford at noon to-day and immediately got into communication with the British Minister in Prague, Mr. Basil Newton, who had reported to London on the situation during the morning.

It is stated that Mr. Chamberlain, who had left for the country, is in constant touch with Downing Street.

Informed quarters stress that the British Government has done everything in its power to bring about a peaceful solution of the conflict between the Czechoslovak Government and the Sudeten Germans, and that as a result of the British demarche the Czechoslovak Government had expressed its willingness to negotiate with the Sudeten German Party.

The latter, however, it is pointed out, declined to open negotiations before certain guarantees have been given. — Trans-Ocean.

#### CLASHES IN MANY DISTRICTS

Prague, Yesterday.

From official reports issued here-to-day, clashes between Czechs and Sudeten Germans occurred not only in Brno, Prague and Chodau yesterday but also at the town of Maehrich Ostrau, where a large crowd of Czechs assembled before the "German House" in which an election meeting of the Sudeten-German Party was taking place.

About 66 towns and villages are expected to pass into the control of the Nazis as result of the election, which is being held in 232 districts, including Prague and Aussig, where there is a big German element and where the Mayor at present is a German Socialist.

Efforts to restrict election platforms to local matters have completely failed, and campaigns are being conducted on a nationalist basis.

#### NAZI FLAGS

Germans have been ordered to fly their flags on pain of serious penalties, and all Nazi shops are displaying photographs of Herr Henlein, the Sudeten German leader.

In the mixed and predominantly German districts all Czech parties have made a common front against the Henlein party. — Reuter.

#### BITTER ATTACKS

Berlin, Yesterday.

The shooting dead of the two German farmers by Czechoslovakian police is referred to in the German press as this "brutal murder which surpasses the excesses of the past days."

The official newspaper, "Der Angriff," says: "Responsibility for the terrorist measures against Sudeten Germans rests with the Czech Government."

Other typical newspaper comments are "Bestial Czech murder" and "Czechs hunt human beings." — Reuter.

#### THEIR MAJESTIES AT WINDSOR

London, Yesterday.

The King and Queen to-day left Buckingham Palace for Windsor for a quiet week-end.

Last night a large crowd waited at Euston Station and cheered their Majesties' arrival after their four-day tour of Lancashire.

Before returning to Buckingham Palace last night, the King invested the chief operating manager of the L.M.S., who is retiring very shortly, as Commander of the Victorian Order. — Reuter.

#### VALENCIA BOMBED

Valencia, Yesterday. Valencia was bombed yesterday afternoon by five insurgent planes.

The bombs fell for the most part in the suburb of Grno and the harbour. Further details are not yet to hand. — Trans-Ocean.

#### STRONG GERMAN CRITICISM

Berlin, Yesterday.

The papers here severely criticise the passive attitude of the Czechoslovak Government towards the disturbances in Prague and other towns.

The "Volksleiter Beobachter" asks whether the Czechoslovak Government is really incapable of controlling the situation or whether it wishes to create a diversion and justify its own lack of any desire for understanding by pointing to the "German disturbers of peace."

The paper says that sole responsibility for the deterioration of the situation in the Sudeten German region lies with the Prague Government.

The "Berliner Tageblatt" writes that the Prague Government has done nothing to curb anti-German agitation in the Czech press despite the counsels of moderation given by the British Government.

The paper says that recent excesses committed against Sudeten Germans form a link of a long chain of measures designed to ruin their existence on their own soil. — Trans-Ocean.

#### MISSION TO CHINESE SEAMEN

The second annual meeting of the Christian Mission to Chinese Seamen was held in the mission's headquarters in Jordon Road yesterday afternoon.

The annual report on the work of the mission was read by Mr. B. J. Tan, superintendent, while Mr. C. K. Pang gave a detailed report of the visits to boarding houses and ships entering the harbour.

Among other speakers were the Rev. H. R. Wells, the Rev. Y. S. Yung, and Mr. Mak Mu-sang.

**DANGEROUS COBRA KILLED IN TERRITORIES**

A large diamond-headed cobra, the "Sunday Herald" understands, was killed during the week in the New Territories.

The cobra, which was nine feet long, was shot dead by Mr. Remedios, at the Hong Kong Mines at Lin Ma Hang, near the Chinese border.

**JAPANESE ADMIT CHINESE AIR RAID**

TOKYO, YESTERDAY. THE APPEARANCE OF CHINESE AIRCRAFT OVER JAPAN ON FRIDAY MORNING WAS ADMITTED TODAY BY THE JAPANESE.

According to the Kumamoto correspondent of the newspaper "Nichi Nichi," a mysterious aeroplane appeared over the city at 4 o'clock on Friday morning and dropped anti-war handbills and pamphlets.

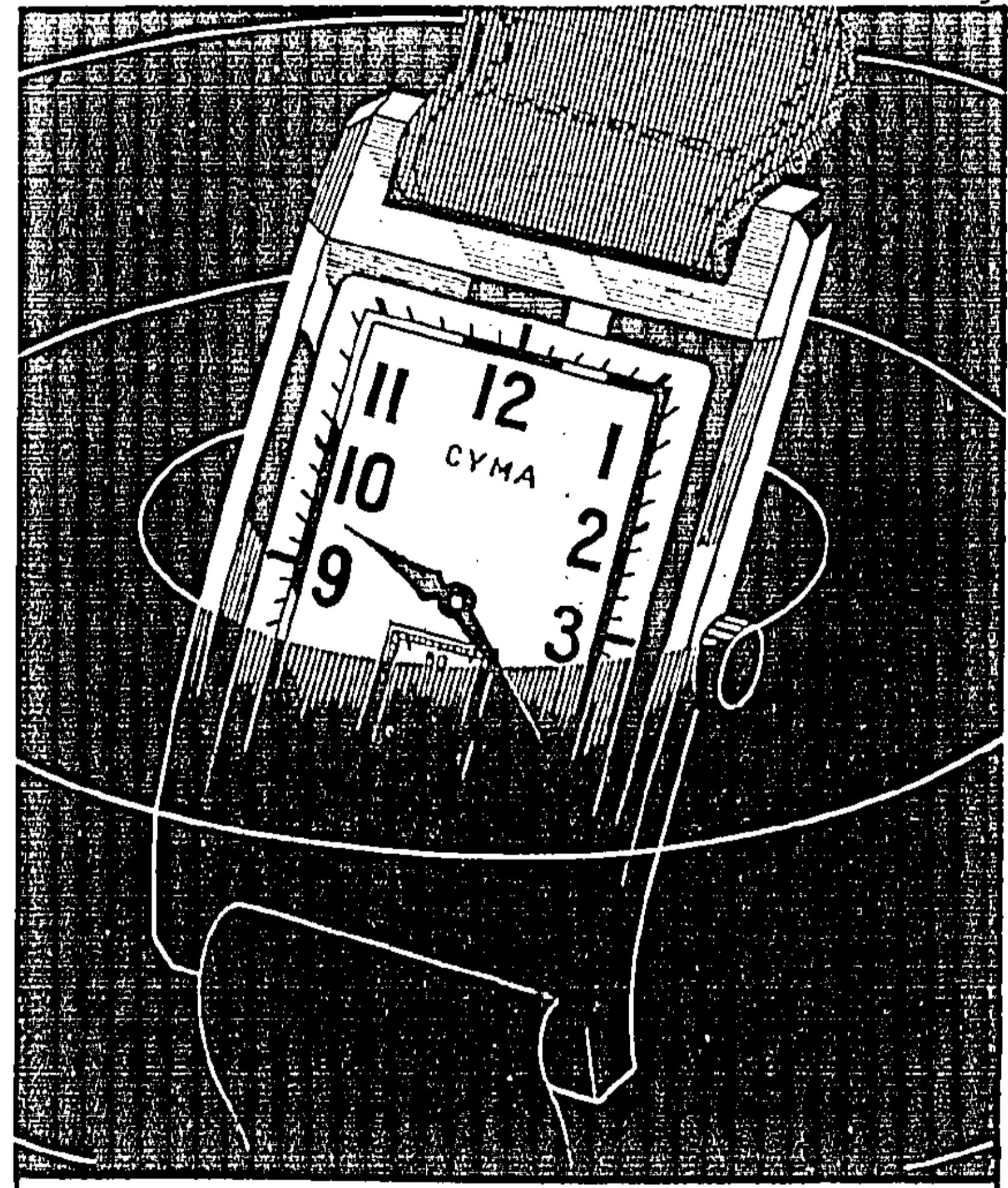
The correspondent adds that the police collected between 5,000 and 6,000 anti-Japanese pamphlets which had scattered on the hill-sides.

After investigating the aeroplane's course, the correspondent says, the police concluded that the machine belonged to the enemy.—Reuters.

**PREMIER WELL**

London, Yesterday.

The Prime Minister has recovered from his attack of gout and is spending the week-end with friends in the country.—British Wireless.



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# TROOP MOVEMENT RUMOURS

British Ambassador Meeting Herr Ribbentrop

## No Foundation For Sensational Reports

Berlin, Yesterday. Following his meeting with the German Secretary of State yesterday, when he asked, and received, assurances regarding the reported movements of German troops near the Czech frontier, the British Ambassador is to-day calling on the Foreign Minister.

It is understood that Sir Nevile Henderson and Herr Joachim von Ribbentrop will again discuss the same reports.

### Grave Clashes Occurring

PRAGUE, YESTERDAY. CLASHES OF A SERIOUS CHARACTER CONTINUE TO BE REPORTED FROM ALL PARTS OF CZECHO-SLOVAKIA.

SUDeten GERMAN SOURCES STATE THAT A SERIES OF INCIDENTS HAS OCCURRED IN THE TOWN OF KOMOTAU, NEAR KARLSBAD.

The police came into conflict with demonstrators and troops had to be called out. After a charge, the crowds were dispersed, many being reported injured.

One account says that 60 were injured some of them severely. Herr Nemetz, deputy of the Sudeten Party, is reported to have been roughly handled by Czech soldiers while making an attempt to interfere.

He immediately sent a telegram of protest to the Czech Ministry of Interior. Further details regarding the incident are still lacking.

CZECH APPEAL

Meanwhile the Czech Ministry of Justice has notified all newspaper

editors to refrain from publishing partisan reports on the negotiations on the Nationalities Statute conducted by the Government and the ethnic groups, "and also to refrain from attacking the Government on its foreign policy."

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"Germany is as eager as France to see a calm solution of the Sudeten problem, whereas the Prague Government has not apparently displayed the requisite responsibility for clarification of the situation."

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## SUDETENS RECALCITRANT ON DEMANDS

Prague, Yesterday.

In the election demonstration of the Sudeten German Party here yesterday evening the Deputy Sandner declared that the Sudeten German Party would not accept the Nationalities Statute of the Czechoslovakian Government unless this granted legal and actual self-determination to the Sudeten Germans.

An appersement between the Sudeten Germans and Czechs would be possible, continued Herr Sandner, only if the demands made by Herr Henlein at Karlbad and the proposals for laws providing for a protection of the population, are accepted. Herr Henlein's Karlbad demands are regarded in London as basis for negotiations between the Sudeten Germans and the Czechs, he concluded.—Trans-Ocean.

## DR. HODZA OUTLINES POLICY

Prague, Yesterday.

Dr. Hodza, the Czech Premier explained in an interview yesterday the principles which had guided the Czech Government in drawing up the Nationalities Statute.

He said that his Government had agreed on certain basic principles which would be formulated in a way enabling them either to be incorporated in the constitution or to become the subject of negotiations with all parties concerned.

The Statute, he added, was based on two principles, namely: (1) on principles of self-administration, (2) and proportional representation,

whereby he rejected Henlein's demand for autonomy. He then threw out the hint to the effect that the Czechoslovakian Government was relying on the support of the British and French Governments in that he declared: "Allies and Allies are a guarantee."

If, he added, the Czech Government should prove itself incapable of maintaining order and discipline and of organising 15 million persons, then the authority of the State would be totally undermined.

### GRADUAL TRANSFER

As regards the conversations with the Sudeten Germans, Dr. Hodza said that these negotiations would mean the gradual transference of the responsibility to the Sudeten German Party.

Replying to the Sudeten German declaration yesterday he said:

"The Government will relentlessly oppose every attempt at terrorism and disintegration and will assert the authority of the State. For this reason there will be no conflagration on the soil of Czechoslovakia. Every attempt at provocation will be punished according to the law of the land."

—Trans-Ocean.

Chodau.

Despite all enquiries no further particulars concerning this affair could be obtained at time of cabling.—Trans-Ocean.

## Sir Kingsley Wood Working Energetically

London, Yesterday.

The newly-appointed Air Minister, Sir Kingsley Wood, appears to be desirous of doing everything possible to deprive the Opposition of any grounds for criticism when the House of Commons debates air armament on Wednesday.

Yesterday, Sir Kingsley Wood met the directors of seven "shadow factories" of the aeroplane industry to receive the reports of individual works on their output capacity.

The "shadow factories" are incorporated in the production process during rearmament although their real purpose is to be ready for an event of great national emergency.

### LONG TALK

Sir Kingsley Wood also had a long confidential talk with Lord Nuffield in the course of which it is reported that Lord Nuffield definitely placed his services at the disposal of the Government.—Trans-Ocean.

### ISSUE OF ORDERS

Sir Kingsley Wood, who saw representatives of the shadow aircraft industry yesterday and discussed progress of the scheme for the production of aircraft aeroplanes and certain accessories, later attended a meeting of the Committee of Supplies recently set up at the Air Ministry and received reports on the progress made in the issue of orders for aircraft and other essential material required for the expansion of the Royal Air Force.—British Wireless.

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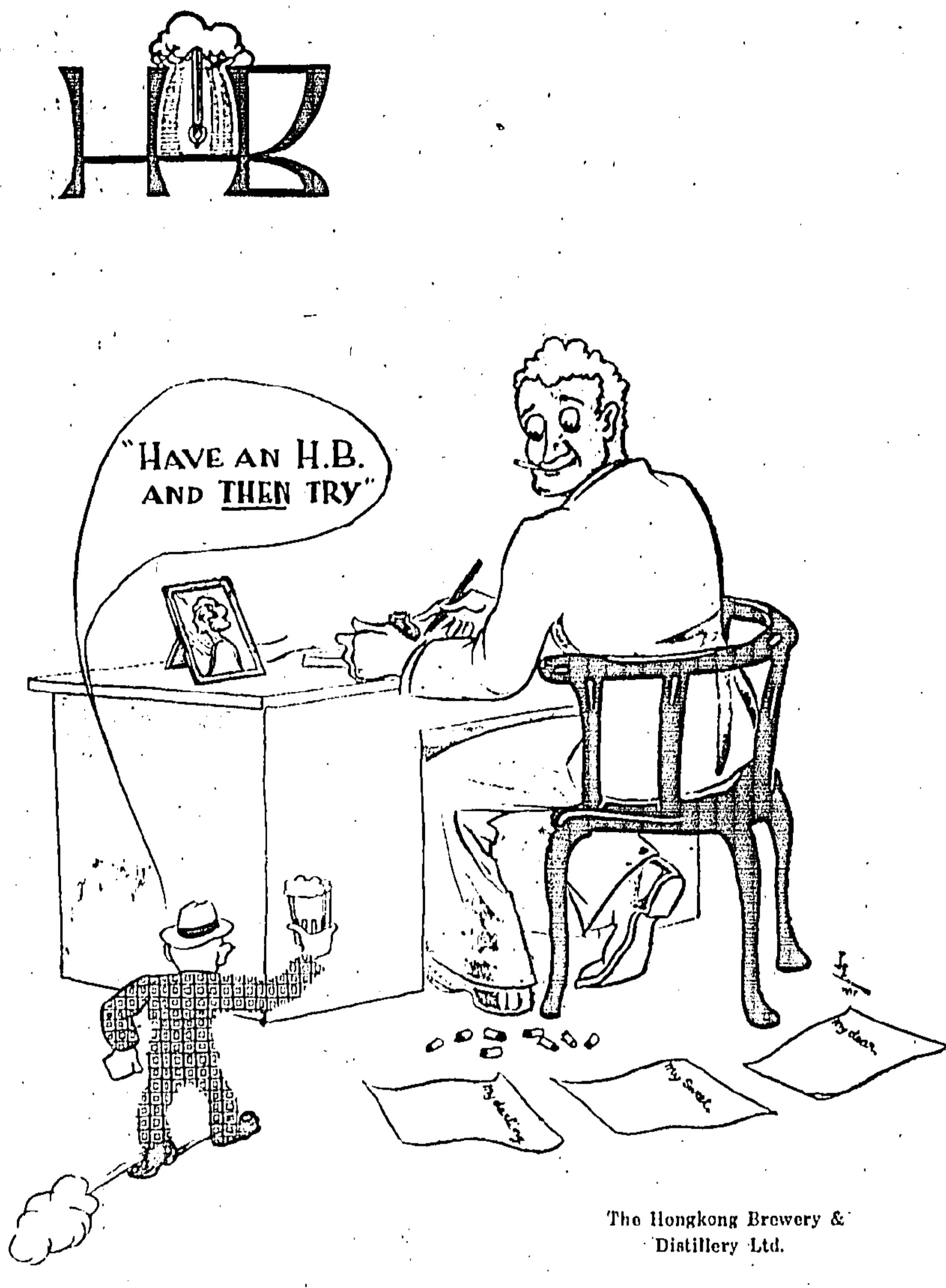
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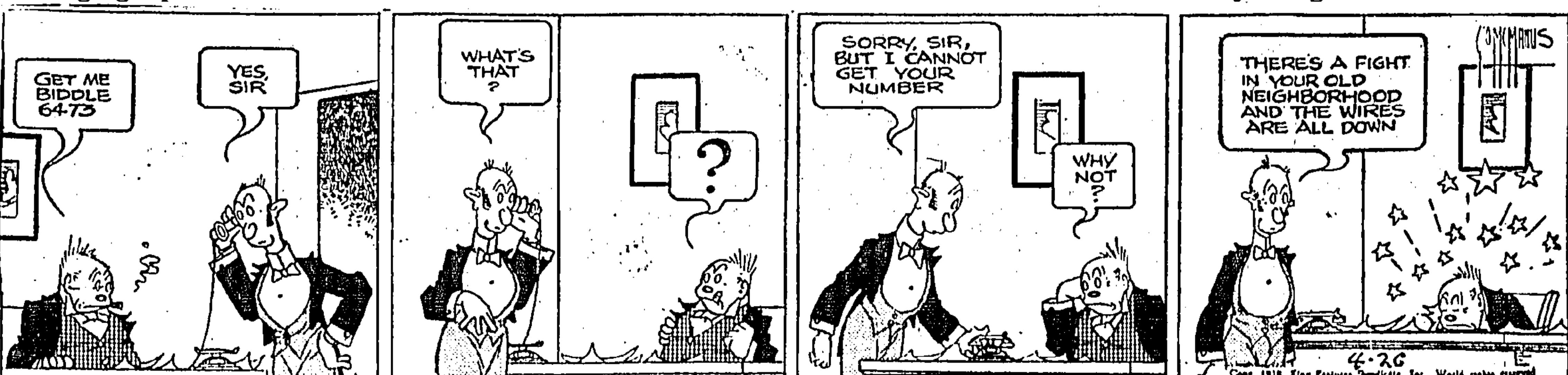
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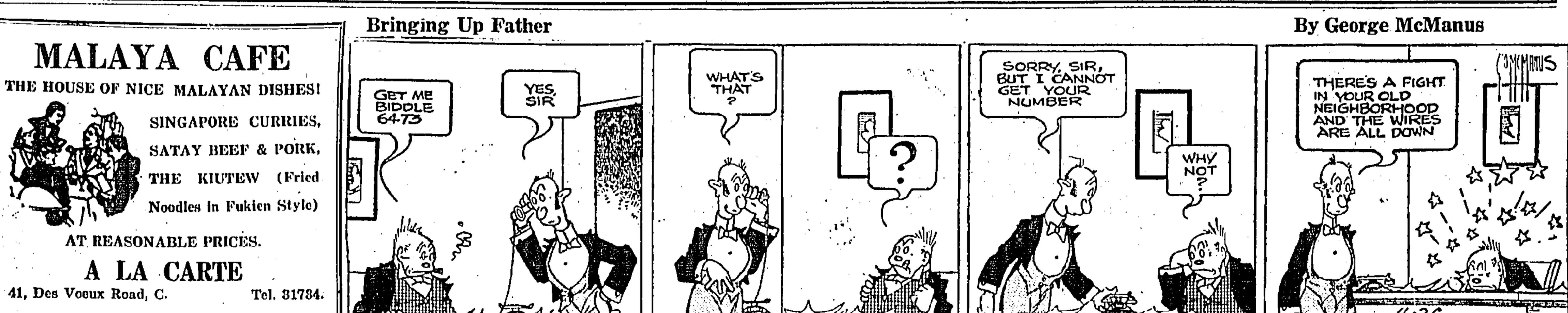
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## FIRST TIME IN HONGKONG HISTORY

The imposition of quarantine restrictions against Canton for the first time in the history of the Colony was made possible by the recent visit to Canton of the Director of Medical Services, the Hon. Dr. P. S. Selwyn-Clarke, the "Sunday Herald" learns from a trustworthy source.

It is understood that the D.M.S. discussed the situation with health administration officials and medical men in Canton and also with H.E. General Wu Te-chen, the Governor of Kwangtung Province as the result of which obstacles (hitherto considered to be insuperable) to quarantine against Canton have been removed and Canton's cooperation secured.

### CONTROL METHODS

The present control is on account of smallpox, and arrangements have been made for inspection aboard the Canton-Kowloon Railway trains and for vaccinations en route.

Shipping will be treated by the Port Health Authority on the same basis as coastal shipping, but the system to be adopted will be such as to delay incoming river steamers as little as possible.

## REGISTRATION OF ADOPTED CHILDREN

Some time is likely to elapse before the powers granted to the S.C.A. under the new Ordinance for the Protection of Women and Girls, by which registration of all transferred girl children is required.

The new law on this subject will be printed in Chinese and widely distributed and published, after which H.E. the Governor will announce the date on which the regulations will come into force.

Registrations of adoptions is required within three months of the official decree.

## Paul Chen, Most Envied Boy In China

Alert looking, clear eyed and clean limbed, Paul Chen is the most envied boy in China.

Interviewed, the Nation's Number One Boy Scout told a reporter that he was on his way home to Canton after a spell of real scouting in the Lunghai sector, and proudly showed a battered suitcase crammed with war souvenirs, the most interesting of which were two metal disks, star shaped and enamelled with an intricate design, the disks were found on spurs captured behind the Chinese lines, and served as their passports in the areas occupied by the Japanese.

Chosen by Scouts of China as Patrol Leader of the Chinese delegation to the great international jamboree at Washington in 1935, Scout Chen wore his scout's uniform at the front. His right sleeve resembles the tunic breast of a Balkan General; every available inch being sown over with the of-

# GOVERNMENT INQUIRY INTO SOCIAL SERVICE UNDER CONSIDERATION

Nutrition Committee Reports On First Year's Work

## Extension Of Scope Of Study Recommended

("SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL)

THE INSTITUTION OF AN IMPORTANT OFFICIAL INVESTIGATION INTO SOCIAL SERVICE IN THE COLONY IS NOW UNDER THE CONSIDERATION OF GOVERNMENT, THE "SUNDAY HERALD" IS ABLE TO DISCLOSE.

A proposal to this end, it is learned, has developed out of the completion of the first year of work of the H.K. Nutrition Research Committee appointed in May last, with Professor L. T. Ride as Chairman and Secretary, and the following members: Professor W. C. W. Dixon, Dr. K. H. Uttley, Mr. F. H. Loseby and Dr. Li Tsao-yiu.

## FAST MOTOR BOAT FOR H.K. AIR MAIRS

Complaints regarding air mail deliveries in Hong Kong, based on the lapse of time between the arrival of the mail-carrying plane in the Colony and delivery at local offices, may be remedied in the near future.

It is learned that proposal now under consideration envisages the provision of a fast launch which will be on hand at Kai Tak awaiting the arrival of the Imperial Airways, Clipper, or whatever machine may be, pick up the mails and speed for Blake Pier within a few minutes of arrival.

The launch, it is understood, will be capable of 25 to 30 knots, fitting the mood that the trouble involved in bringing mails to Hong Kong from London or San Francisco to Hong Kong in 15/6 days justifies action at this end.

## CHUANCHOW MAY BE OPENED TO FOREIGN SHIPS

A telegram has been sent by the Amoy war refugee relief committee organised by Hong Kong Fukien residents to Dr. H. H. Kung, President of the Executive Yuan, urging that foreign vessels permitted to call at Chuanchow, northeast of Amoy.

As Chuanchow is not a treaty port, foreign vessels have as far as not been allowed to call.

Prior to its occupation, Amoy was the chief centre for the import of rice to Fukien coastal districts. But since its fall, the port has been cut, and there is an acute shortage of rice in these districts.

### \$7 PER HEAD

The view then expressed was that this state of affairs was due partly to economic reasons and partly to ignorance as to how to obtain the most nutritious values in food for the income received. It was estimated that a sensible and adequate diet would cost some \$7 per head for adults and \$4 to \$5 for children.

### SYSTEMATIC EDUCATION

Said one doctor at that time: "Systematic propaganda on correct diet appears to be the only course that can be adopted by the newly-appointed Nutrition Committee."

"If they are not in a position to rectify the social system of the Colony which does not provide wages on which the average Chinese family can subsist, they can, at least, by instructing them concerning the most nutritious diets within the scope of their purposes, alleviate to some extent, the mass malnutrition now prevalent in the Colony."

## TWO LOCAL WEDDINGS

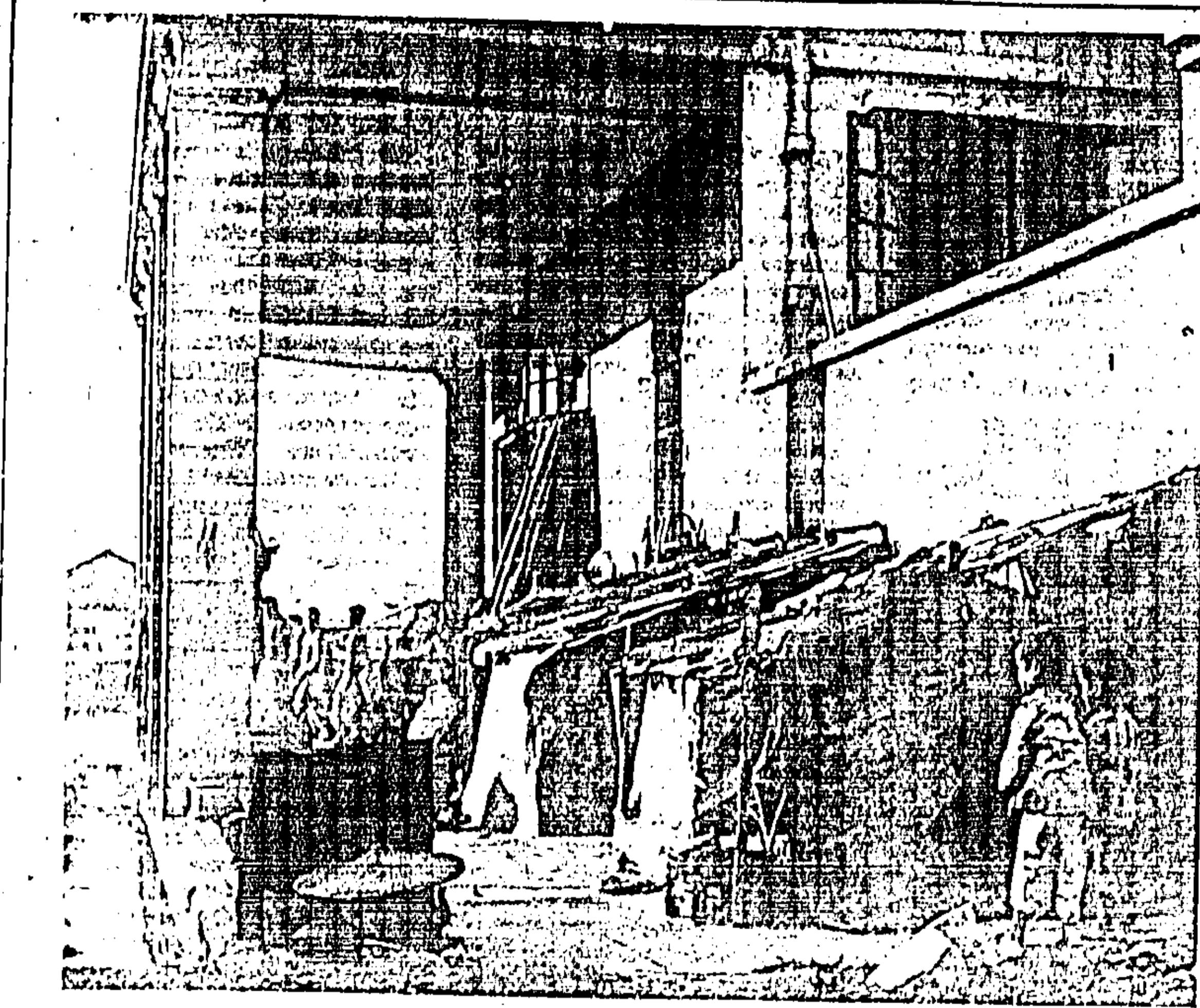
At St. John's Cathedral yesterday, Miss Rose Lee Sui-king became the bride of Mr. Stephen Bonn Yoon-fong, undergraduate of the Hong Kong University.

The ceremony was conducted by the Reverend G. K. Carpenter, Warden of St. John's Hall.

Miss Angelina Maria da Silva, formerly of No. 43, Peking Road, was married to Mr. Arthur Chailly Chan, dentist, of No. 8, Ashley Road, at the Rosary Church yesterday afternoon. The Reverend Fr. D. Fago conducted the ceremony.



Patrol Leader Chen.



HOW THE OTHER HALF—THE EVICTED HALF—LIVES. ("Herald" photo).

## FUNERAL OF THE LATE MR. H. F. WESTLAKE

### AMERICAN BOMBERS FOR CHINA

The funeral of the late Mr. Henry Frederick Westlake took place yesterday, the service being held in the chapel of the Colonial Cemetery by the Rev. D. Rosenthal and attended by a large number of deceased's colleagues and friends.

The coffin, draped with a Union Jack, was borne to the Chapel by members of the Armoured Car Company of the Volunteers, of which the deceased was Company Sergeant.

The pall bearers were Messrs. Butler, Crawford, Ingram, Stott, Gibson and Gash and Captain Williams and Lieut. Hamilton, officers of the company, were also present.

After the service the body was taken to Sookunpo for cremation.

Among those present at the service were:—The Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell, Mr. J. A. Fraser, Mr. H. Williams, Mr. L. R. Andrews, Mr. W. J. Lockhart Smith, Mr. J. Whyatt, Mr. D. Davis, Lieut. Commander Grenham, Lieut. Col. R. C. M. Andrew, Lieut. Parkinson, Lieut. Ross, Captain Williams and Lieut. Hamilton, Messrs. L. E. Lammett, W. A. Hallier, W. Harrison, A. Hume, MacMahon, J. Edwards, H. Gittins, P. D. Crawley, R. Taylor, J. J. Hollidge, R. R. Davies, J. Deakin, A. Wattle, R. J. Hunt, J. Wadmore, T. Carr, C. M. Younger, and A. Moy, also representatives of the Battery, Engineer, Portuguese, and Machine Gun companies of the Volunteers.

The Registrar of the Supreme Court, Mr. E. P. H. Lung, was unable to attend the funeral as he was himself unwell. The late Mr. H. F. Westlake was in his department.

## FREE FOR ALL NEAR DOUGLAS WHARF

Wreaths were sent by the following:—To "Uncle Jim" from "King's Cuppies"; Auntie Tom and "Bent"; Mr. and Mrs. W. Smith and Family, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bunje, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Flegg, Vera and Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. Hunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hirst and Sons, Mr. and Mrs. T. Parkinson and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. Watson, Dorothy and Bill Russell, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dobson, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lockhart Smith, Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Rakusen, Mrs. Bickford and Sons, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Pearce, Len and Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. D. Davies, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Andrews, Mrs. O. May, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Everest, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Purvis, Jan and Phil, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Fox, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. H. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. May, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burling, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Begg, Mrs. Angus and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. H. Lung, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Gillard, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. R. Mitchell, Bill Hirst, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hume, George and Vi, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. J. Atholl and Lady MacGregor, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Ecclehall, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Way, Gert, and Mrs. Laurence Beer, Mr. and Mrs. G. de S. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Crowley, Mr. and Mrs. W. White, Sir Atholl and Lady MacGregor, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Kew, Mr. and Mrs. K. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. D. Nicolson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Emile Landau, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. S. Crozier, Mr. and Mrs. R. Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. Paceo, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Budden and Mr. L. E. Lammett and family.

Messrs. H. K. and P. Y. Woo, W. C. Hung, E. Gingles and R. Sammon, H.

## MISS JEAN MARK WED AT ST. ANDREW'S

Miss Jean Pearl Mark, daughter of Mrs. Loong King Mark, became the bride of Dr. George G. Lee, M. D. (Toronto) at St. Andrew's Church yesterday afternoon, the Rev. David Rosenthal officiating at the ceremony. The bride was born in China and at an early age went to Canada where she graduated at the Margaret Eaton School of Physical Education.

Entering the Church on the arm of her brother Mr. Jee Mark, who gave her away, the bride was prettily attired in a dress of white French satin on princess lines, with full train and angel-skin bolero of lace. She had a three-quarter length veil of tulle with orange-blossoms on her head. Her bouquet was of calla lilies.

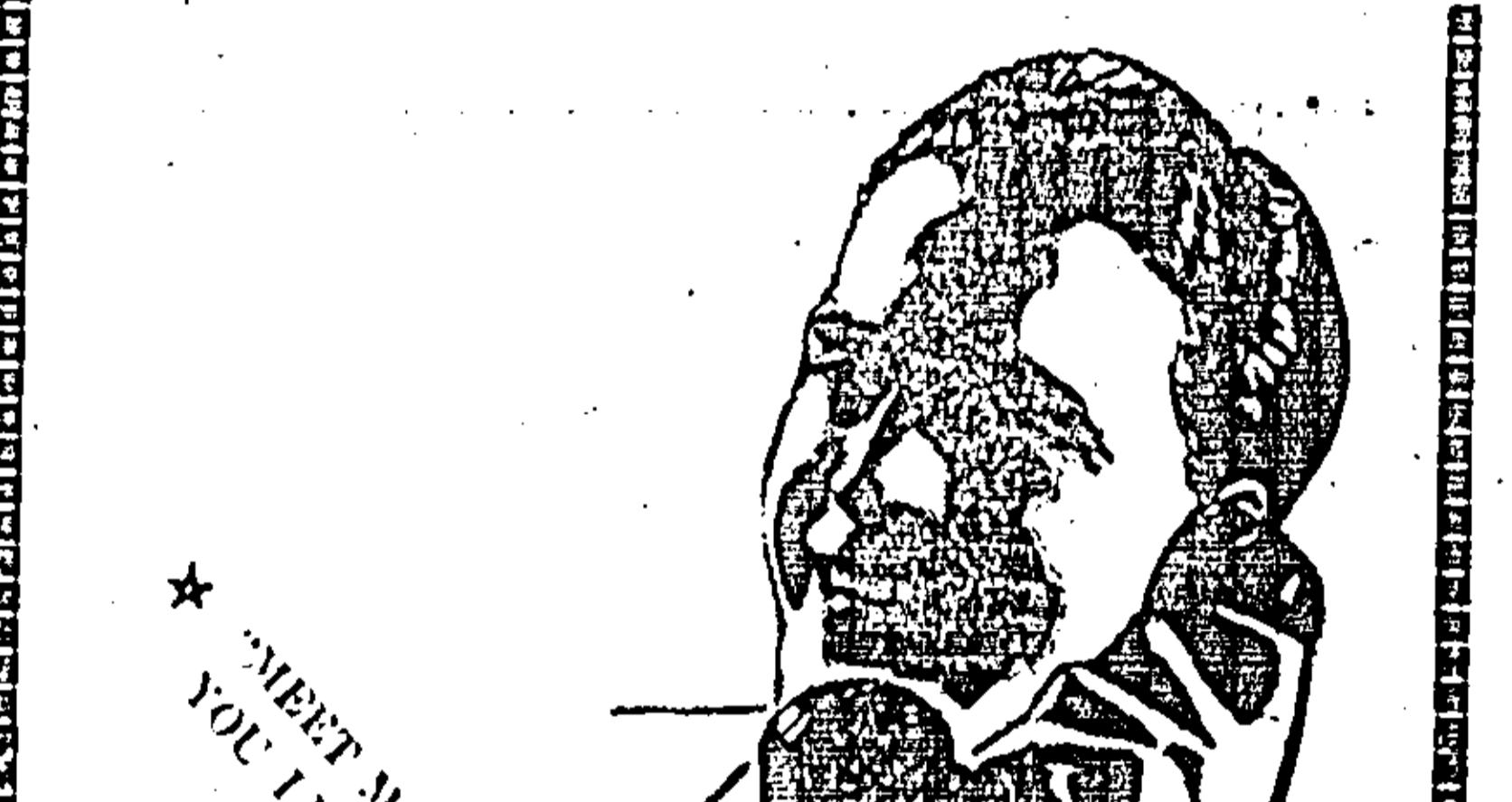
In attendance as bridesmaids were Miss M. Quon and Miss T. Wong. They wore dresses of French moire in maple on princess lines with short mauve tulle veils held in place by gardenias. They carried posies of gardenias.

The matron of honour was Miss F. J. Lee who wore a duplicate of the bride's dress in white French moire with stirred cotton lace bolero and short white veil crowned with mauve daisies.

The bride's mother attended in a neat dress of gray silver lace with black accessories and a mauve gladioli corsage.

Dr. F. Pon was the best man. A reception was held at the Gloucester Hotel after which the happy couple left for their honeymoon at Cheung Chau. Mrs. Lee's going-away dress being of blue and white crinkly crepe with white bolero and white accessories.

Professor Harry Ore is giving a piano forte recital of his pupils, kindly assisted by Martha Barretto, the distinguished pianist, at St. John's Cathedral Hall, Hong Kong, on Monday, 30th May, 1938, at 5.30 p.m.



APPEARING BEFORE MR. R. EDWARDS AT THE CENTRAL MAGISTRACY YESTERDAY, TEN SWATOW CHINESE, WERE CHARGED WITH FIGHTING IN CONNAUGHT ROAD CENTRAL, NEAR THE DOUGLAS WHARF ON THURSDAY.

Sgt-Sergeant D. Davies said that a free-for-all fight started when a party of coolies from Kowloon tried to get an assignment on which the island coolies were engaged.

Iron rods, bamboos, and iron tubing of about five feet in length were shown to his Worship. They were piled up at the scene after the fight.

Six were sentenced to three months' hard labour and were recommended for banishment because each had a previous conviction, three were fined \$20 or one month's hard labour and one was found not guilty and discharged.

## LONDON SILVER MARKET

London, Yesterday. London silver prices to-day were unchanged as follows:—

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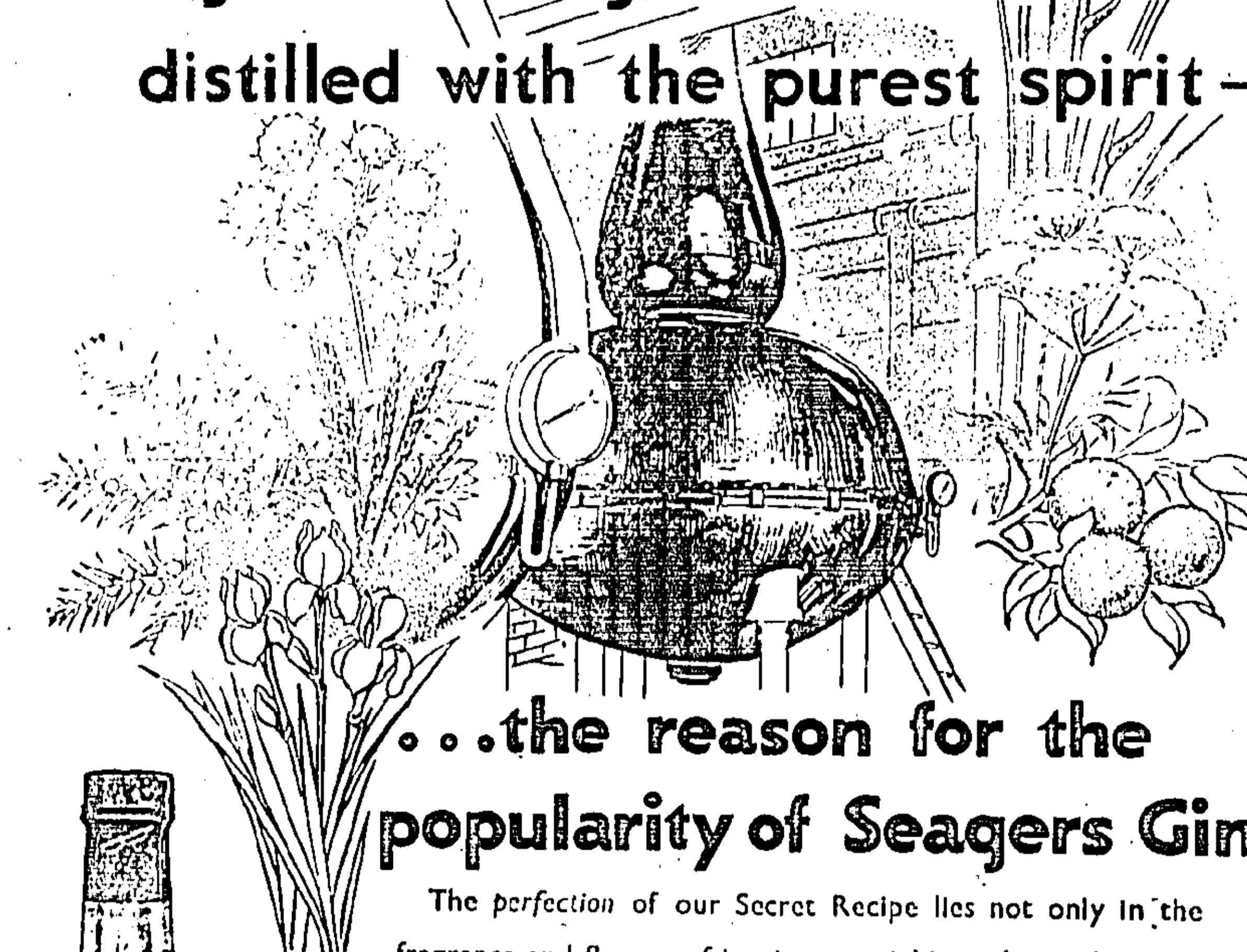
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# Secrets Of Herr Hitler's ROMAN HOLIDAY

THE average man watches pened there was not war, but it with alarm meetings of totalitarian rulers because he fears that when two dictators come together their talk is of war.

In that, he may be mistaken. The error that most of us commit, especially in these days of furious rearmament, is that we rivet our attention exclusively on the danger of an armed conflict.

War is not the only thing we have to dread, nor is it always the worst evil. The fear of war, corrupting our minds, inhibiting our energies, wasting our substance, poisoning our veins with hate, and checking every creative impulse, if it dominates us through many years, may do more harm than a short, sharp war.

The reign of force, that may endure for a generation under an armed peace, is on any long survey of history, as grave a wrong as war.

Three hundred millions of Indians grew up, successive breeds of them, during this century and the last, under the paralyzing influence of force. Their wills were not their own; they dare make no movement to change their lot or alter an evil institution. They could not combine, or, if they combined, it was only to talk.

Yet, save in the Mutiny, no war was waged and no gun flashed.

The force was silent and motionless. Yet it mastered a nation's life.

### ECONOMIC POWER

Such conditions breed orderly despoil, and turn men into mummies. They prevail over the greater part of Africa. They reign in less degree over Europe.

You mean in Fascist countries?" queries the reader. Assuredly there, but they shape our ends wherever the private ownership of the means of life is the rule.

At Lichfield, in spite of the secret ballot, do you suppose that every man and woman voted freely?

Long before the time came to vote, men's thoughts, actions and words were influenced by the knowledge that the employing class has the means not only to reward and promote whom it will, but also to deny a livelihood to those who oppose it.

"But that," you may say, "is economic power, not physical force." It rests none the less on force, the purchased, automatic force of the army and the police. Put that statement to the test. Suppose that in Lichfield the workers decided to end this economic domination by occupying the factories in a stay-in strike. What would decide that issue?

The batons of the police might suffice, but if not, the machine-guns of the army would come into action.

It is a mistake, therefore, to think of war as the one evil we have to dread. Incomparably more pervasive is force.

### WHAT OF HUNGARY?

It is possible, and even probable, that Hitler and Mussolini, in last week's talks, never mentioned international war, though they must have discussed the civil strife in Spain. But all the time they talked about force.

They always focus opposing forces. The defensive power of the owners confronts the potentially aggressive power of their rivals, while within the structure subversive forces may crack the arches, which the polices must point for ever with fresh mortar.

Here, also, force never sleeps.

The difference between Haves and Have-Nots is not a difference of morals or motives. Each is acti-

quitative; each relies on force. It

is merely a difference of position.

The Have-Nots are, on the wrong side of the fence by which privilege is guarded. This is a fact that we dare not forget when we call for a close defensive alliance, within the League of Nations, between the so-called "peaceful" Powers—Britain, France and the Soviet Union.

They are "peaceful" only in the technical sense, but they keep what they want with silent guns.

Accordingly, Austria passed from Italian influence into German ownership.

What they defend is what the others need—the right to extract

Hungary profit from the ownership of land and raw materials, which is commonly done by imposing on the working inhabitants a sub-human know. But if there were such a standard of life,

discussion, it would be settled by the same rapid process of mental arithmetic as the fate of Austria.

How many guns, tanks, and men could each party, if the worst

men organise their economic and social

By H. N. Brailsford

come to the worst, throw into structure that force, whether for Hungary? The answer is simple, internal or external use, shall Italy, after the loss of Austria, be wither away.

### FASCIST "BLACKMAIL"

About the play of forces in Hitler's Roman talks we can only guess. But from the earlier Anglo-Italian conversations they stand out sharply against the Roman background.

For most of us the salient passage in Mr. Chamberlain's speech

about the Agreement was his peroration with its flattery of the Duce and its eulogy of Fascism as a political system.

Equally revealing, however, was the stress he laid on the French alliance, the prop of the gradual reduction of the Italian army in Libya. A thousand men will withdraw each week until this army is halved. When that is done, and until it is undone, the threat of an invasion of Egypt will disappear.

Children imagine that in a bridge or cathedral the stones and girders lie passive and inert, one on the other.

Engineers and architects know better. Every building is a complicated but calculable system of opposing pulls, strains and stresses. Its immobility is the result of balancing forces.

Europe is a structure of that kind, and under the armed peace always was so—and this is the only peace that Europe ever knew.

That, then, was the subject of the Dictators' talks—probably not war, but certainly the adjustment of forces. And what else, save possibly money, did M. Daladier and Mr. Chamberlain discuss, or Count Clano and Lord Perth?

### FORCE NEVER SLEEPS

May I go on underlining this forgotten commonplace about the pervasive character of force? Our reluctance to face it blinds us to the nature of empires.

They always focus opposing forces. The defensive power of the owners confronts the potentially aggressive power of their rivals,

while within the structure subversive forces may crack the arches, which the polices must point for ever with fresh mortar.

Here, also, force never sleeps. The difference between Haves and Have-Nots is not a difference of morals or motives. Each is acti-

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## STOMACH SUFFERER

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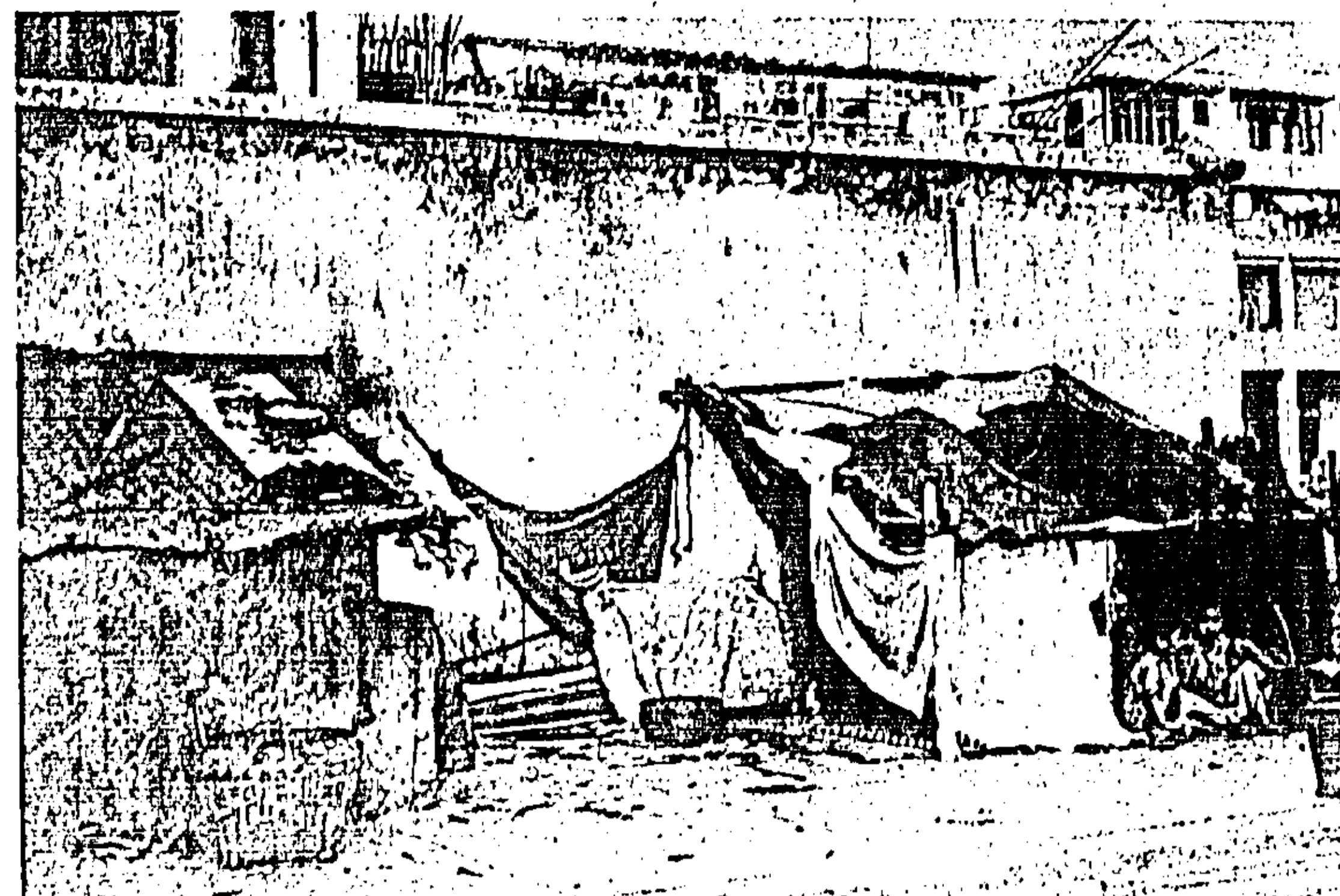
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## Hong Kong Battalions A Little Difficult To Recognise



THE OLD EVICTION GAME OF BEGGAR YOUR NEIGHBOUR. Some however, are beginning to show a little resource. ("Herald" photo).

## SINKING OF JAPANESE AIRCRAFT CARRIER NEAR MACAO

An extraordinary explanation of the Japanese atrocities against junkpeople in South Chinese waters is furnished to the "Sunday Herald" by an officer of the Portuguese Air Force station in Macao.

According to information received in Macao, the trouble began when a Chinese "Mosquito" motor-boat, armed with two torpedoes, advanced on a Japanese aircraft carrier lying at anchor to the south of Macao, using the

### EXPLANATION OF JAPANESE ATROCITIES

cover of three junks.

When within a short distance of its objective, the "mosquito" craft broke cover and, with its powerful engines roaring, raced up to the aircraft carrier and before the crew realised that anything was amiss, had loosed off both torpedoes, at least one of

which is known to have found a mark.

#### CARRIER SUNK

The aircraft carrier limped out to sea, and our informant subsequently learned, sank. The daring Chinese who made the raid, however, did not succeed in making good their escape. Tackled at once by a destroyer escorting the carrier, its occupants were wiped out by concentrated machine-gun fire.

The crews of the junks which had provided the cover, were also killed after undergoing terrible tortures.

The series of cold-blooded atrocities perpetrated on junk people unfortunate enough to come within their reach, has been the result.

#### JAPANESE COMPLAINT

Asked why the Japanese had not advanced this story as an explanation for conduct which has repeatedly shocked the Colony, it was pointed out that the Japanese recently made the allegation that Macao was being used as the base of such attacks, although the Japanese were unwilling to admit the loss of an important unit of their Navy.

On the other hand, in view of the failure of the motor boat to return, it is assumed that the Chinese authorities considered the venture unsuccessful and consequently did not make the claim that would have been forthcoming if they had known what had actually happened.

### PRIVY COUNCIL APPEAL FROM H.K. APPROVED

The "Sunday Herald" learns that leave to appeal has been granted by the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council in the case arising out of the murder of Captain D. L. Campbell, on board the Chinese Customs cruiser, "Cheung Keng," on January 11, 1937.

Chung Chi-cheung, it will be recalled, was sentenced to death on August 24. His appeal, based upon the contention that the Hong Kong court had no jurisdiction over the accused, was dismissed on October 15, but leave to appeal to the Privy Council was granted, and the sentence of death has since remained in suspense.

The date of hearing of the appeal by the Privy Council is not yet known.

### INVESTITURE NEXT WEEK

His Excellency the Governor is to hold an investiture at Government House on June 1.

It is understood that those to be invested are the Hon. Mr. T. N. Chau, who was awarded the C.B.E. in the New Year Honours List; Major M. A. Johnson, who was awarded the O.B.E. and the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, recipient of the King's Police Medal.

## Rubber-Tyred Rides Now Supplanting Route Marches

(By A Woman Representative)

BE a Belisha boy and see the world from a cosy seat.

They won't march to the next war. They'll be driven to it, in heavy rubber-tyred lorries with separate leather-upholstered rubber seats.

Soldiers are giving extra time to games to make up for the exercise they don't get now they no longer walk.

"They have to," said a warrant officer who has been a long time in the Army. "Otherwise we'd have a battalion of fatties on what they eat."

What they eat is indeed impressive. I watched it being cooked, saw them eating it, and envied them all through a much less appetizing lunch at an hotel in the town.

But their eating capacity is as nothing to their drinking capacity.

#### EARLY TEA

By the end of a day spent at barracks I found that I was starting when I saw a soldier without a mug. He looked as odd as a cat without a tail.

They are given tea five or six times a day officially. The rest they have to buy for themselves.

First is early morning tea and biscuits.

"In bed?" I asked.

"Not quite," said the sergeant, "but nearly."

Next comes tea with breakfast.

At eleven o'clock tea is brought to them by caravan wherever they are working. In winter a cup of soup is substituted, to the disgruntlement of a lot of the men, who would prefer tea.

Dinner finishes with tea. They then have three-quarters of an hour's rest, so many of them go over to the canteen and buy tea.

At a quarter to five comes tea. Running buffet supper, from 8.30 to 9.15, is always bread, margarine, something tasty, and tea.

CHOCOLATE SOLDIERS

After tea-time the day is theirs. Some go to the pictures and tea. Some go to the canteen for darts and tea, billiards and tea, or just tea.

"And I can't put enough sugar in it," said the canteen No. 1.

They smoke heavily, eat pounds of chocolate. These are the chocolate soldiers.

"I could count the beer drinkers of the battalion—real beer drinkers," said Sergeant XYZ, "on my fingers."

Sergeant XYZ is messeng sergeant.

"You see, I try to give the men what they want, but to give them good food too."

"To-day you'll notice we have meat and potato pie and baked jam roll. That's pastry twice in one meal. They wanted it, so they have to have it.

"The big trouble is vegetables. They don't like ordinary vegetables. They want expensive ones like peas and French beans, but we can't have those. They won't keep."

"They objected to mashed carrots and turnips, so I gave them carrots by themselves. That was a failure."

"They don't like fish, but we have to give them fish by the regulations."

#### DON'T LIKE FISH

"Each man has to have an ounce of butter a day, but some of them won't eat butter. They prefer margarine."

"Then there's this tea. I want them to have puddings for dinner, but they will have tea instead. Wednesdays and Thursdays when they haven't any money I manage to give them both pudding and tea out of what I save Saturdays and Sundays, when there's hardly anybody here for meals."

He is allowed 1s. 2½d. per day per man. A year ago it was 9½d.

Sergeant XYZ took me proudly to look at his new flat. It is an old flat modernised. All the mirrored quarters are being improved.

#### FITTED WARDROBE

Cupboards have been built in the kitchen. A fitted wardrobe has been built into the bedroom.

In the pre-Belisha days there was not a single cupboard in the place.

The soldier living out of barracks now does his day's work and has his home life in exactly the same way as any other worker.

Only the Army shuts down at tea-time.

"Would you like to see our workshop?" said the adjutant. "Oh, dear. It's locked. They'll be at ten."

"Would you like to see the garages. Oh, dear. Locked. They must be at ten."

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**THE REASON IS ANCHOR**

# SCOTLAND At the Crossroads

WITH the opening of the great Empire Exhibition in Bellahouston Park, Glasgow, Scotland is standing for a moment, not where she did, but in the very centre of the Imperial stage. The already famous Tait Tower, that wonder of steel, all white and pale green, is temporarily holding the place of the Nelson Column as the heart of Empire.

But although Caledonia, stern and wild, has the atage, and is occupying it with dignity and nobility, it is more profitable to consider whether she stands fundamentally where she did. This momentary glare will fade, and then

survival of her soul.

The world is moving fast nowadays in the direction of amalgamation, of merger, of annexation, of rationalisation—call it what you like. There is a steady tendency towards the absorption of the small by the large, whether in politics, finance, industry, or culture.

The incredible swiftness of modern communications and transport is making this process of absorption easier all the time. In 1914 it was not possible to travel from Edinburgh to London in less than eight hours. We have just been reading of the Air Force officer who did the journey in 48 minutes.

Now, there are a few small countries left in the world which Democratic Liberty and Totalitarian are lucky enough not to march Tyranny, and Scotland shares that with powerful neighbours. Por choice with the rest of the Empire is one, Norway and Sweden

choice. But Scotland also has a difference two more, and there are some

cults of her own, and that differs in South America. But Scotland

for better or worse, marches with one of the most powerful nations in the world, and not only that, but with a nation that has shown itself throughout history as the most skillful of all at the business of assimilating strangers.

Frenchmen from Normandy, Tudors from Wales, Stuarts, Hanoverians, all became English in the end. It is true that the process took a great many years. But those were the days of slow movements and horse-transport and comparative illiteracy. In these days of Sir Malcolm Campbell, and rotary printing-presses and compulsory education and broadcasting, the machinery of assimilation can whirl round at an incredible speed.

Scotland has to decide whether to allow itself to be caught up in this whirling machine.

Scotland in the past has made a great contribution to the culture of Europe, to the civilising of this and other continents, and to the spread of commerce and the rising of the general standard of life. And it was not only a great contribution but a distinctive one. The famous Scotsmen of the past were Scots as well as famous men.

When Dr. Livingstone explored Africa, he took with him the Scottish humanity and the Scottish attitude to religion. When the North-Western Trading Company of Montreal opened up the Canadian hinterland as far as the ultimate end of the long Mackenzie river, they brought to the task the violence of the clan-feuds of the Highlands and the rapacity, unscrupulousness and courage of the cattle-reivers of the Highland Line.

Burns was a poet in the universal sense of the word, but he was a Scottish poet, and Carlyle's power-house of prose could only have been written by an heir of the 300 years of Border warfare.

In the whole story of the Scottish fight for independence, and in the subsequent spread of Scotsmen over the world, you will always find the same characteristics. There has always been stubbornness, refusal to accept defeat, passionate love of individualism, and a readiness to give every new thing a trial, and to accept it if it fulfills its purpose.

And in this last characteristic lies, I think, one of the most serious dangers to Scotland today. For gradually it is obscuring, most flattering, most comforting flow of praise to the effect that you are the salt of the earth and that there is no one like you.

This is what I am trying to explain: love of independence, refusal to accept defeat, individualism, these are all things of the spirit. And, what is more, they are noble things of the spirit. But the others, the search for new things and their acceptance if they fulfill their purpose, may easily slip

for the assimilation fulfills its

from the soul to the destruction of the soul.

It was this quality which made the Lowlands accept Calvinism, and Liberalism, and Socialism.

But it was this quality, also, which made them accept the Industrial Revolution and the later, modern Rationalisation of Industry. And it is this quality which, if Scotland is not very careful, may make her accept the new high-pressure, fast-moving, science-driven assimilation with which she is threatened all day and every day.

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The temptation is very great. A hundred years ago the foundations of the Scottish engineering supremacy were laid by this very same quality. The men of Glasgow and the Clyde valley examined these new machines and found that they fulfilled their function and actually worked. So they seized upon them eagerly, and improved on them and perfected them, until they had made Clydeside the greatest ship-building centre in the world, and had driven a fifth of the population of Scotland into smoky, grimy, filthy hovels. The machines worked, but on Clydeside the spirit of the land was lost.

There is mighty little essential difference between men whom steel has once touched, whether they live in Glasgow, Pittsburgh, Essen, or Liege. The metal takes charge and the spirit is apt to go hang.

Now apply this to the wider aspect of Scotland's future.

It is so easy to let London do all the thinking. It is so much simpler to sit back in the old armchair and leave it to Whitehall, Throgmorton Street, and the Bank

TAIT TOWER at Bellahouston "may be the strong symbol of Scottish Renaissance."

function. It brings prosperity. And what could be better than prosperity which comes without the painful need for the provision of a gigantic fleet and the organisation of a gigantic air force to protect it. It is indeed the functioning of a machine in the perfect style, in the grand manner.

But this argument would break down if it could be proved that the process of assimilation by England will not only destroy the independent spirit of Scotland and its sturdy individualism but will not even in the long run bring prosperity. Then what is the good of the old armchair? Then what is the satisfaction to be got out of complacency and the praise of others?

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The Scottish patriot would do well to come down from the cloud cuckoo-land in which he is at present living and study some of the official facts and figures which he can get from the Board of Trade. There he will find that since the rationalising process set in Scotland has lost its railways, most of its banks, a good deal of its shipping, and a great deal of its industry.

Unemployment is higher in Scotland than in England, while the national income steadily declines.

The drain of skilled workers leaving the poorer Caledonia for the richer south has deprived us not only of wealth but of the creators of wealth. And it is an axiom that once a Scotsman has left his native country in search of fortune elsewhere, he very seldom returns.

The whole trend of industry in Great Britain has been for years towards the south. The new factories of the light industries are built along the Great West Road to be near London and the southern ports, and are no longer built in the industrial north.

Power comes to them now by the grid and not direct from the pitheads. And thus, as the north of England feels the draught of the south, so also does industrial Scotland. In a sentence, the English grip on Scotland does not even bring a cash reward.

No. Scotland does not stand where she did, and if there is not a great uprising of national sentiment and feeling, soon she will hardly stand anywhere at all. The Exhibition at Glasgow may well be the beginning of that uprising. I sincerely hope that it will be, and that Tait's Tower may be the strong symbol of a Scottish Renaissance.

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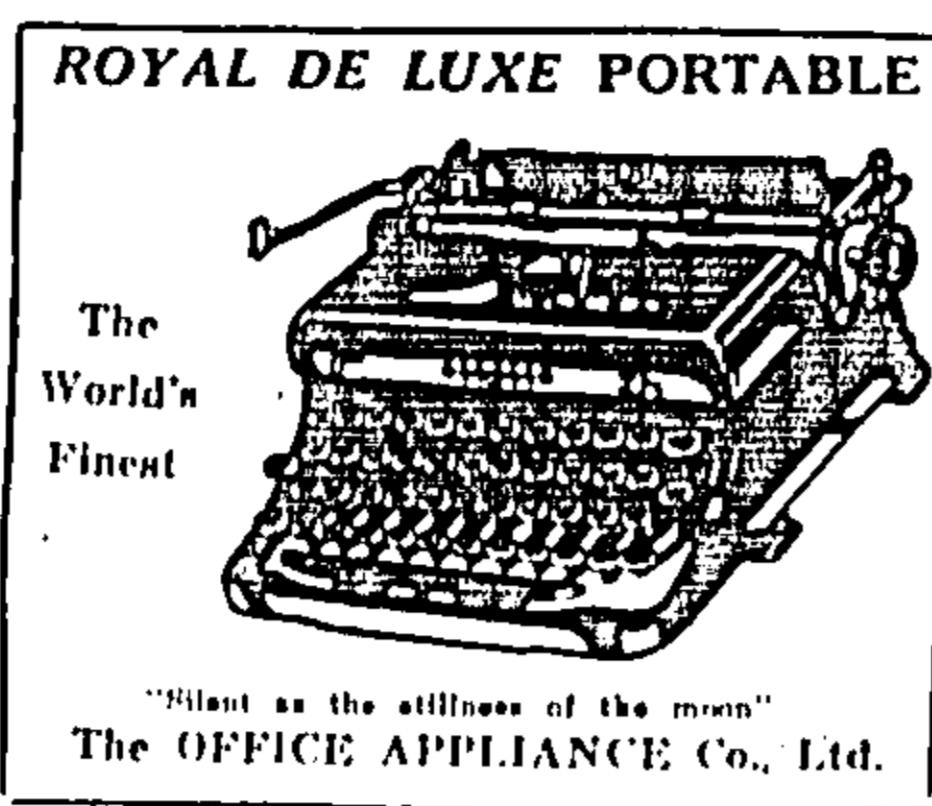
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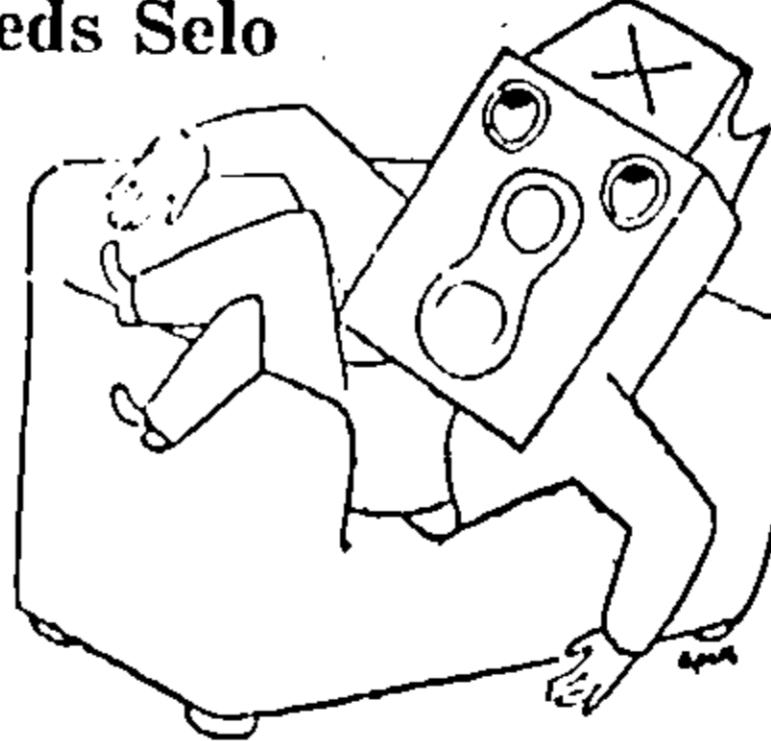
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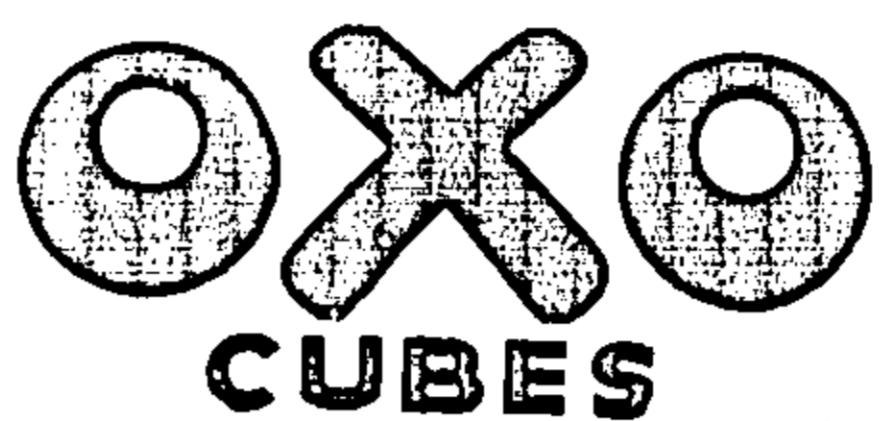
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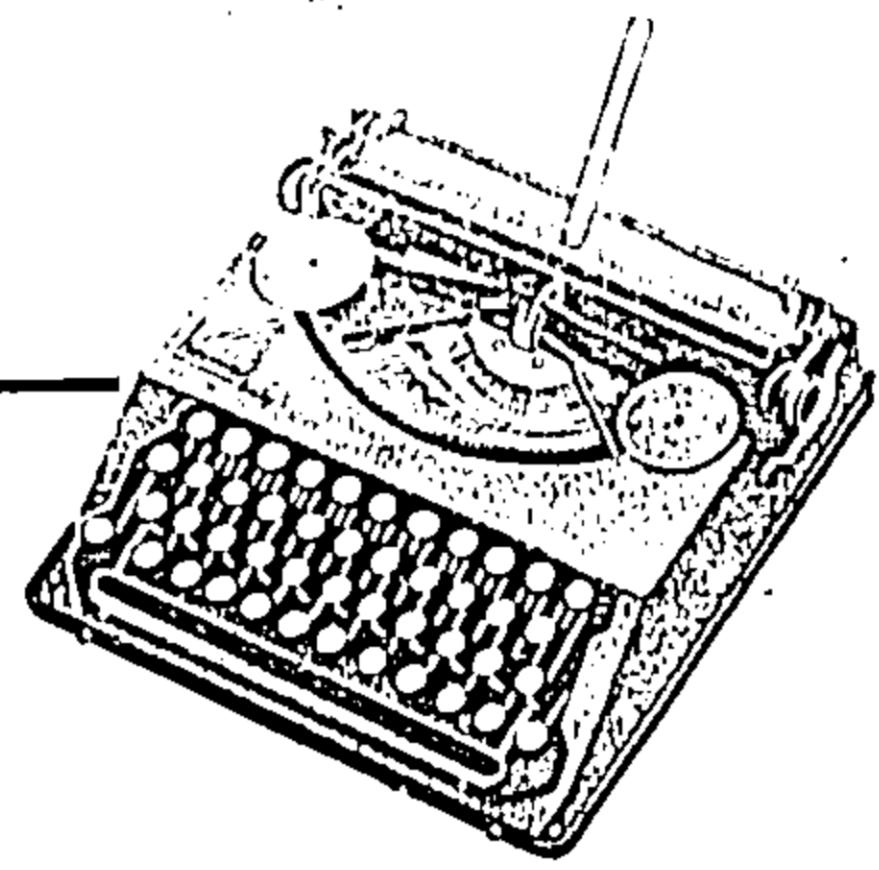
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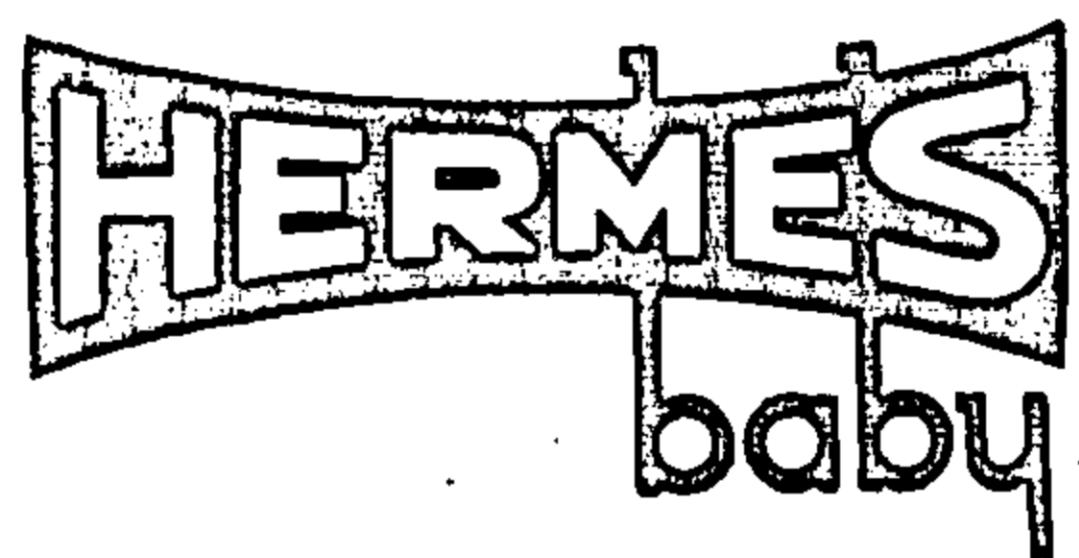
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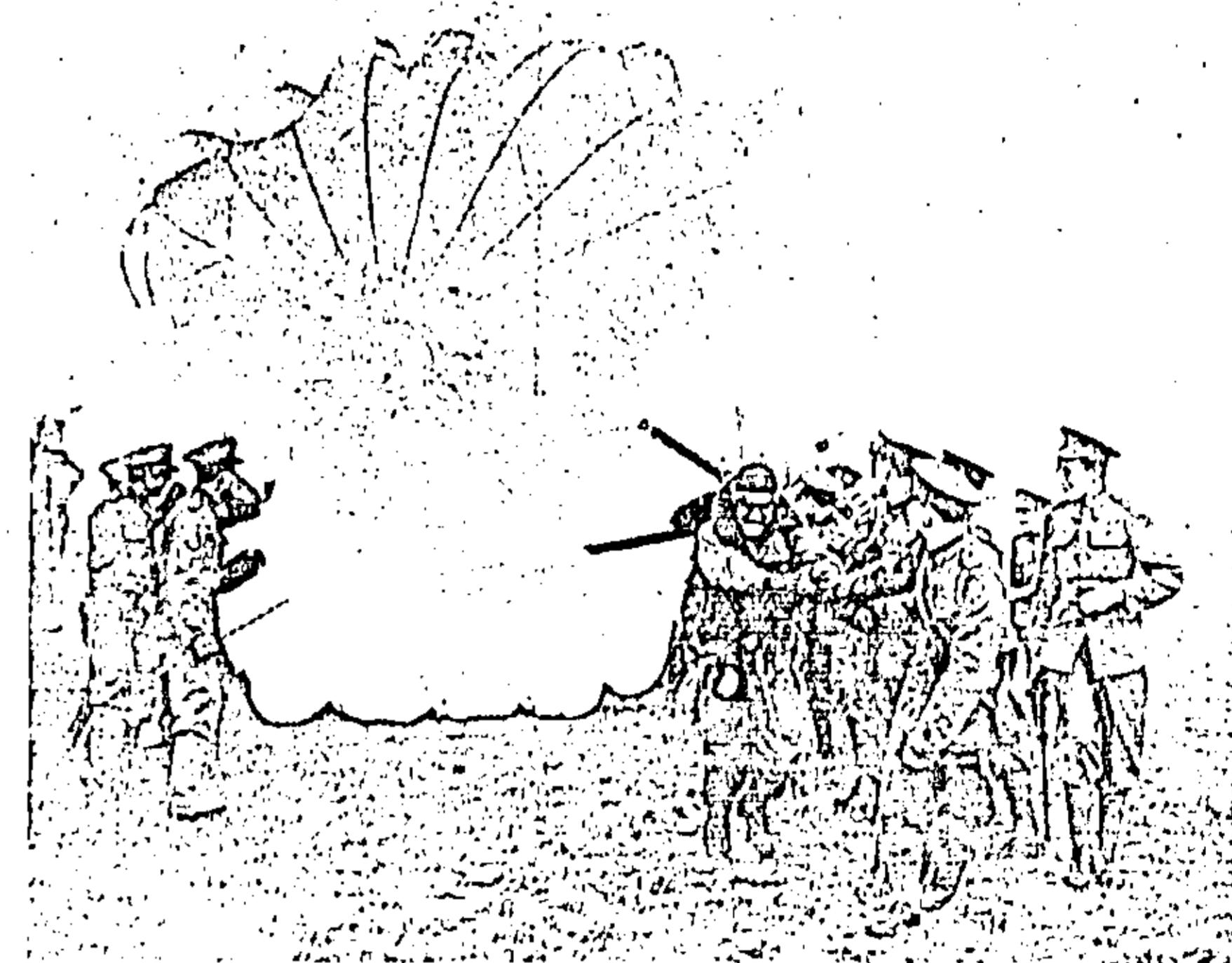
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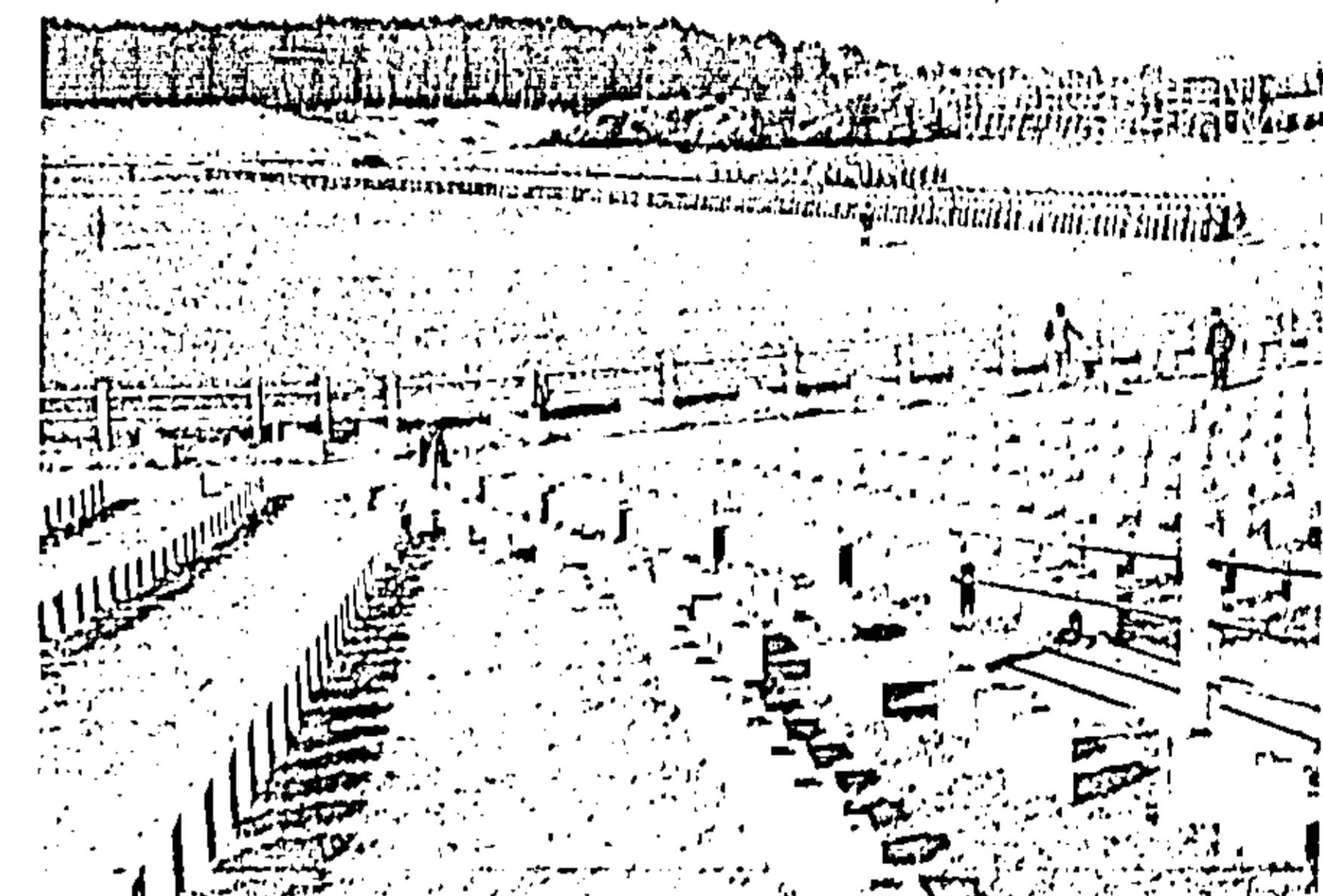
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BLOOMS FOR THE NAVY. Flower girls of Funchal, Madeira offer their blooms to sailors of H.M.S. Vindictive during their sightseeing tour of the island. (Copyright).



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A general view of the floor at the C.B.A. Cabaret Supper Dance.

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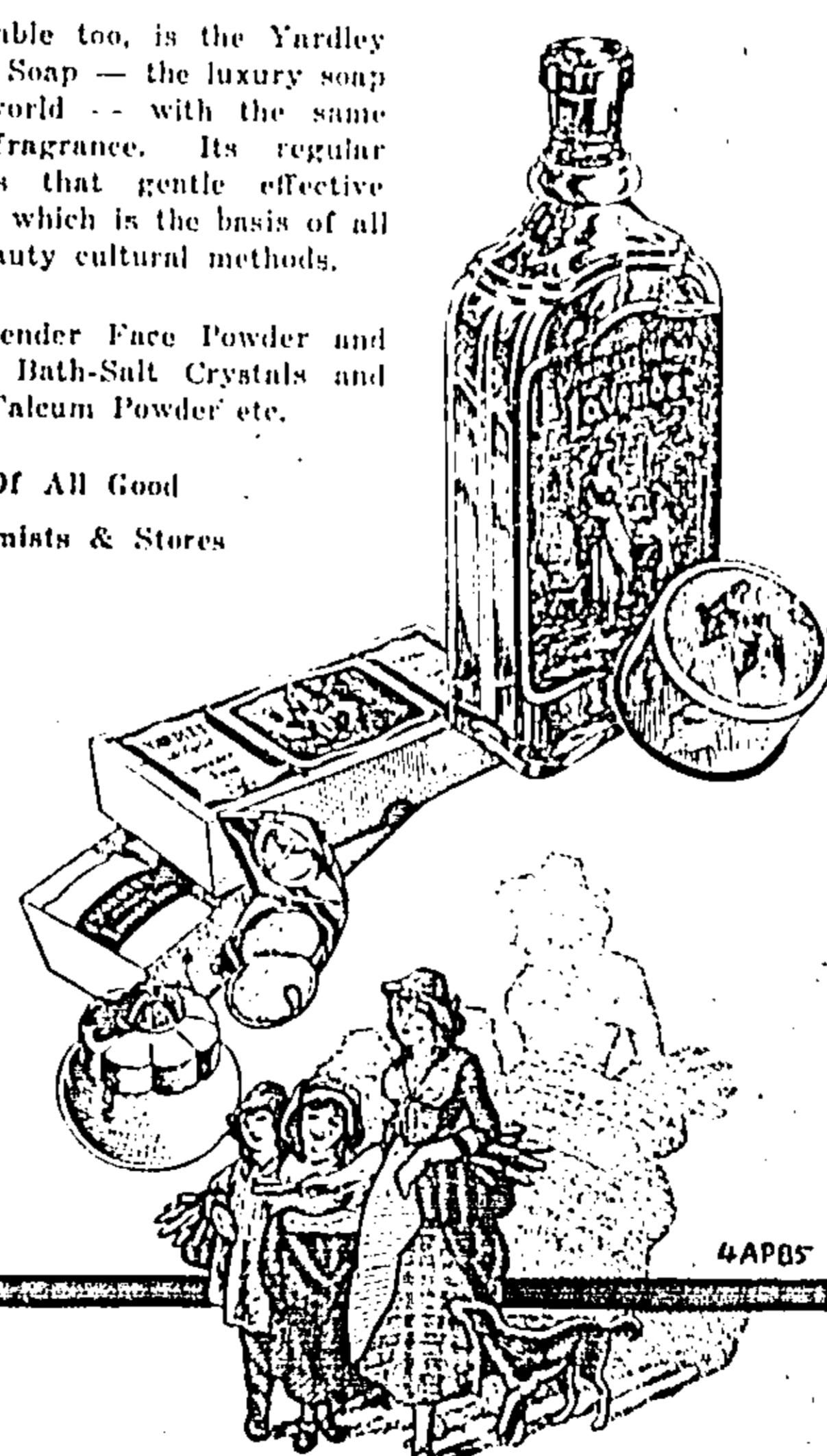


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**At Your Face Value**

What is your face value? asks  
Dr. Ida Spelman of the British  
Phrenological Society.

Throughout the country people  
are becoming face conscious. Employers  
are calling in physiognomists to guide them in the choice  
of persons for particular tasks;  
teachers are being helped by a  
knowledge of what faces reveal  
to understand "difficult" pupils.

Now there are people who, because  
they are well aware of their  
short comings, strive constantly  
to "wear a mask," as we say.

This is pathetic and futile.  
No one can conceal his true nature.  
Cunning individuals may  
endeavour to put our natural  
judgment at fault by assuming  
what they believe to be a guileless  
expression; but the effort will be  
in vain; no real deception could  
be possible.

**Nose As Guide**

Did not Napoleon choose his  
generals by their noses? Probably  
he knew little about physiognomy,  
but at least he perceived that men with strong, large noses  
would be determined and aggressive  
fighters. Witness Wellington.

Sometimes I have been asked,  
says Dr. Spelman, to give a  
portrait of a girl who would prob-  
ably make a good wife, or of a  
man (and this more often) who  
would be most likely to suit as a  
husband.

The task is full of difficulties,  
of course, but it is not impossible;  
the requisite types may be in-  
dicated.

**Good Wife Type**

For example, one might be  
fairly safe in saying that the type  
likely to succeed as a wife would  
have:

Forehead rounded at the top,  
denoting reasoning power, and  
consequently reasonableness;

Eyes set well forward, indicat-  
ing facility in language, so that  
she would be a good conversa-  
tionist;

Nose either straight, with nostrils  
well-defined, suggesting ap-  
preciation of beauty and nobility  
or a slightly turned-up nose  
suggesting amiability, vivacious-  
ness and a happy disposition.

Chin full and well-rounded, ex-  
pressive of strength of purpose

and loyalty, and promising fortu-  
tude in adversity.

**Good Husband?**

Every woman, I think, really  
desires masterfulness in a hus-  
band, but that quality must be  
tempered with humour and a  
capacity for gentleness.

For this excellent combination  
one must look primarily to the  
nose and mouth; the nose would  
be high-bridged, with wide nostrils;  
the mouth fairly wide, with a  
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miles up hill and down."—A. W.

"I could not walk more than 20 yards.  
I had to hold on to railings to get my  
breath. I had to be helped home many  
times fighting for breath. I bought a  
bottle of your tablet and let me tell you  
I don't feel the same man. I walk two  
miles and don't fight for health."—E. R.

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## Mainly about WOMEN

WHEN you buy a dress, hat, shoes, bag, do you go by style or do you go by fashion? There is a difference. "Style is that thing which, being looked back upon after a century, gives you the fundamental feeling of a certain period in history." Style gives you "the right clothes for your life in your epoch." Fashion, on the other hand, is "a parasite on style." "Fashion sways the female population this way and that through the magic expression that 'they' are wearing such and such this season and you must do likewise or be ostracised." We are quoting from one of the most fascinating books we have come across in a blue moon: "Fashion Is Spanish," by an American dress designer, Elizabeth Hawes.

Here is a tale that certainly has never been told before. It is a career story that reads like an adventure yarn, chiefly because she herself finds sheer adventure in living. Miss Hawes is, of course, an undisputed leader of dress design in the United States, a young David who set out single-handed to challenge the Goliath of Paris dictatorship in the field of style. In order to get there, she has fought amazing battles and blazed astonishing trails. A delicious sense of humour, a zest for adventure, and the unswerving direction of the true artist carry her (and the reader) along.

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She is indeed in a position not to be "bamboozled," as she calls it, by Fashion. The urge to design clothes, to dress everybody, overtook her when she was delving deeply in economics at Vassar. It didn't go with any pattern of life already made, so she set out to cut her own. Believing at that time in what she daily calls "The French Legend"—that dress design can come only out of Paris she set out for Paris to learn to become a couturiere by studying them "on location" herself. The chapters that follow are wonderfully refreshing. Here is a real inside story of the French dress designers from the viewpoint of a keen-eyed, normal American girl whose series of interesting and astonishing jobs in the "design-stealing" copy houses carried on in back rooms, gave her access to the Paris openings, to famous sanctums, and enabled her to see both the genuine art and the parasite imitation in one of the most famous businesses in the world. Whether or not a reader has ever been intrigued by the couturiere field, this Hawes version of "The French Legend" is a fascinating one. The tale of the copy houses and the huge traffic in stealing dress designs for copying and adapting to mass production (largely in the United States) is one that has seldom if ever reached the layman in so full a form.

However, there is sincere admiration here for real art by an artist, and no debunking of the artist-designers. The book itself is dedicated to the French couturiere Vionnet, for one, and the reader is always led to appreciate the essential artistic sincerity of the true designer even while the elaborate fabric of "promoting" the designer is shown up in another light.

In later chapters we get another little-known story, that of the American clothing industry, also from the inside. For "Hawes, Inc." or at least its independent founder, can leave no door unopened in plumbing the depths of Mass production is synonymous with clothes in America, and so into the realms of mass production she must pioneer.

The network of dress manufacturers captained by the Weinstocks, the Lee Levines, and the Joe Rosenthals, form, she tells us, the second largest industry in the United States, surpassing Steel in volume. It is based, she says, on an implicit belief in Fashion that dame who "tells you that your last winter's coat may be in perfect physical condition, but you can't wear it . . . because it has a belt, and this year we are not showing belts."

For the woman who listens implicitly to the dictates of Fashion, who feels she must wear only what "they" say one should wear, Miss Hawes's differentiation between Fashion and Style should help to bring freedom.



Captain R. Perry, of the Chinese Maritime Customs, with his bride, the former Miss Edwinia Louisa Rogers. ("Herald" photo).

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A close-up of the floor of the Peninsula ballroom when the C.B.A. Cabaret Supper Dance was held. In centre is Miss Marie Smith, who was celebrating her twenty-first birthday. ("Herald" photo).



The Press and Referees teams which met in a friendly match last



The annual procession in honour of Our Lady of Fatima was held last Sunday. These two photographs show the procession passing through Kowloon Tong. ("Herald" photos).



Two little playmates helping each other building sandcastles on the beach at Repulse Bay. ("Herald" Photo).



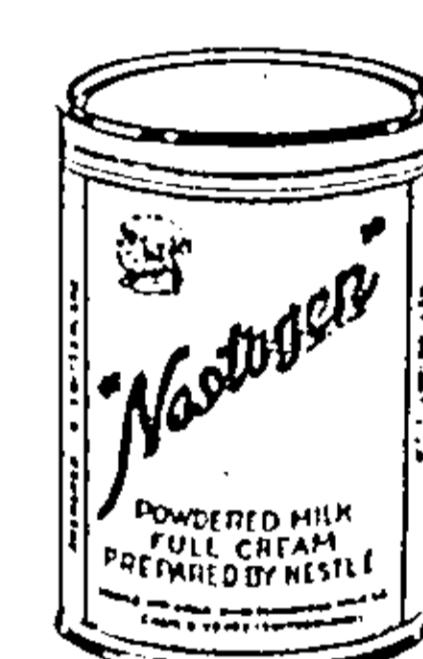
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## TRICK PHOTOGRAPHY

Do you remember the wonder tales you read when a child, the forbidding castles filled with grymes, the hags, jinn of the Arabian Nights, the trolls that lived under bridges and the fairies that haunted mysterious woodlands?

You can use your camera to recreate those childhood memories. You can make giants walk through your pictures. You can hold yourself, or a tiny version of yourself, in the hollow of your own hand. You can pose in intimate conversation with the Irish "wee people," the elves and fairies and the cobbling leprechaun.

It's not hard. The method is to use our old friend, the double exposure, two shots on the same film. All that is necessary is accurate posing and careful control of the light. A black background is necessary or you can pose your subject before the door of a dark room.

Note the picture above. Although it was made with a camera having a ground glass for focusing, which simplifies making such pictures, you can get the same effect with your own small camera. First, pose the subject fairly close to the camera, with his empty hand extended. Snap the picture and mark the position of the hand on the glass view finder, very carefully, with a tiny dot of ink.

Now, without winding the film, move the camera back several



Trick Photography—Double Exposure

feet, so the subject appears small in the view finder. Let him stand, facing his former position, so that his feet appear right on the ink dot in the finder. Arrange the light so the feet are not too brightly illuminated. This will help eliminate evidence of slight errors in the position of the subject. Snap the shutter a second time and the final picture is made. When the picture is developed, presto! there are the little man and the big one, facing each other on the same film.

You will probably make mistakes in placement on your first tries, because the view finder is small, but this is part of the fun of trying trick photography—and some of your errors may

give a funnier picture than the one you carefully planned. It is well to remember that only the figures in these shots can be lighted—if surrounding objects show up, they will spoil the picture.

If your camera has an "open" direct view finder, without glass, it is best not to try this sort of work. If, however, you have a camera with ground glass back, you can place figures with greater accuracy.

With this technique, you can make a fairy dance on the table in front of you—the fairy being your small daughter in her ballerina dress. If you want to make the little figures transparent, shorten exposure a little.

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Then he sent a waiter flying for some nice fresh green spinach. When the spinach arrived, he threw great handfuls of it into the mixer.

Then he plugged the cord on the shaker into the wall, and presently the shaker began to buzz, as one of Fred's famous delicious, non-intoxicating drinks was in the making.

It seems that the band leader might have spent more time in the past two years inventing his shaker, which he has named "the Waring-go-Round," than he has on his band. With the shaker perfected, he has spent much time concocting drinks.

A teetotaler himself, he decided that many a marvellous beverage could be invented out of everyday fruits and vegetables.

As a result, the Waring children, Dixie and Bud, have practically all of their meals mixed in their father's invention, he says. Spinach is much more delectable when served in a drink, they found, just as those who tasted the present concoction were discovering.

Children who have lost their taste for milk are intrigued by his banana and milk drink, Fred says.

The last view Akron had of him, was seated at a table on the night after his show, tasting a rosy red concoction made of strawberries and honey, a large napkin pinned around his neck, joy in his eyes.

And when he departed, one of his "Waring-go-Rounds" was left behind in the main hotel here, as a reminder that even band leaders have their hobbies.

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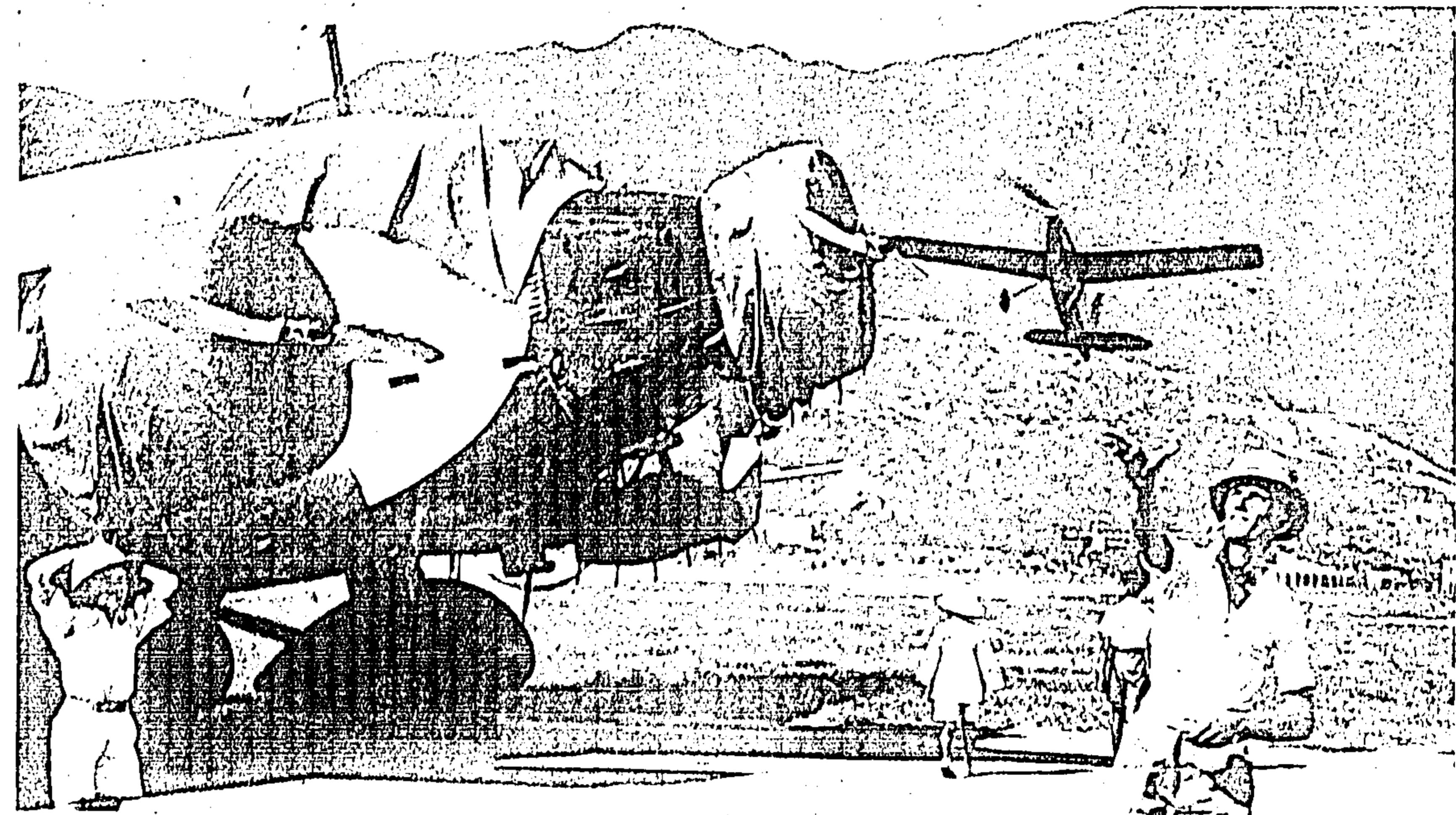
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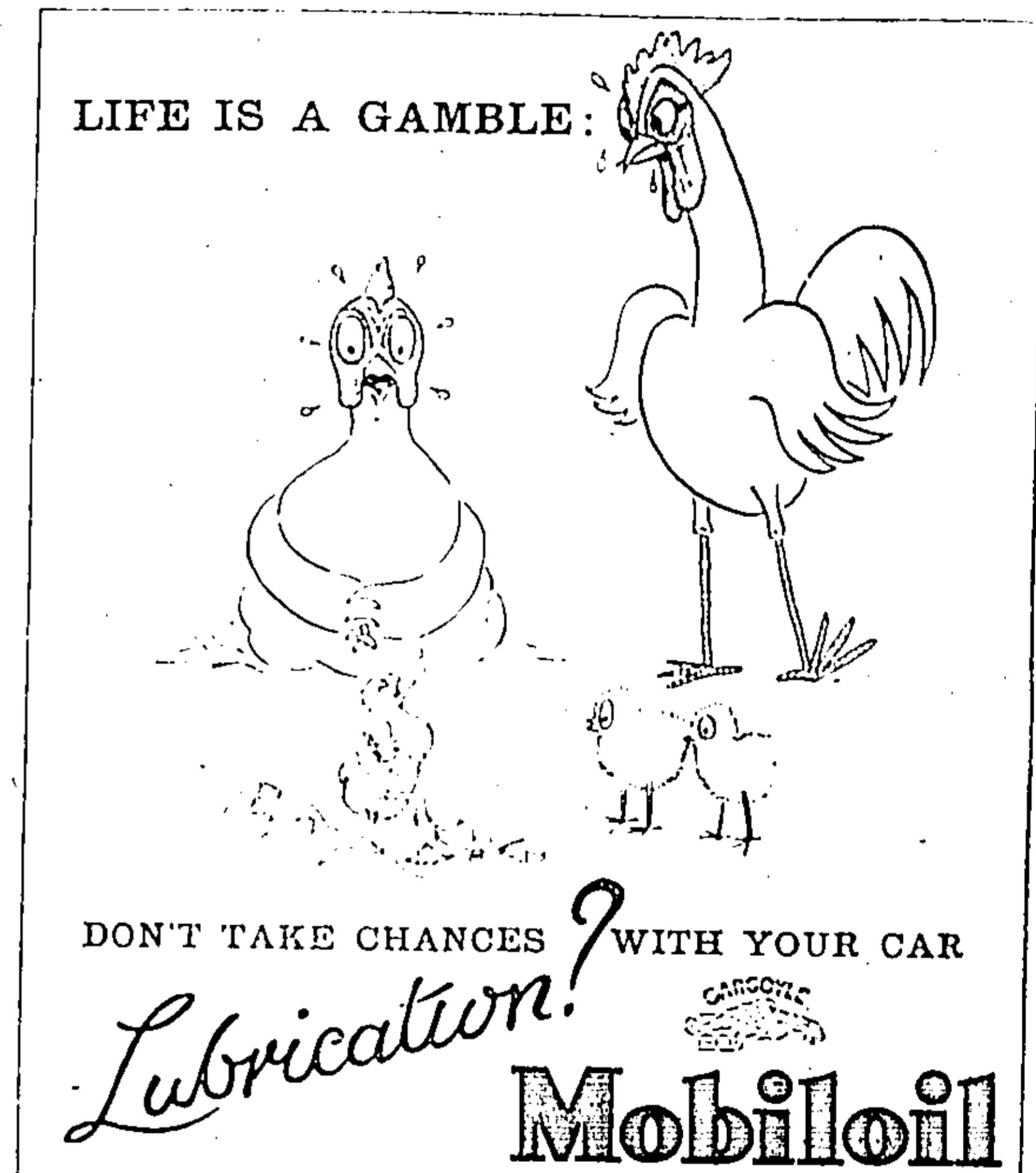
Members of the Hong Kong Model Aeroplane Club tested their miniature aircraft at Kai Tak last weekend. Here a competitor has just launched his tiny craft into the air, in startling contrast to the big Junkers of the Eurasia Line. ("Herald" photo).



Competitors preparing their machine at Kai Tak when the Model Aeroplane Club had its first outing. ("Herald" photo).



"Not quite there!" A scene from the baseball match between the Chinese and the U.S.S. Mindanao. ("Herald" photo).



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*Sports Chatter*

Chinese Recreation Club have built a very fine lawn bowls green which looked in perfect condition last Saturday. Players were, however, conspicuous by their absence. Understand that C.R.C. will probably enter a team in the Third Division of the League next season.

Kowloon Cricket Club have a promising new tennis player in the "B" Division of the League in W. Miller, an American.

I understand that Major Baines, U.S.R.C. tennis player, will not be playing in the League for some time, while Major Newnham, their "A" Division League representative, is still suffering from tennis-elbow, which will probably keep him from playing for another fortnight.

A newcomer to U.S.R.C. League tennis team is Surg. Lieut. E. B. Murray, of H.M.S. Cumberland, who is reported to be very useful. He made his debut last Tuesday for U.S.R.C. against Indian Recreation Club.

Water-polo practice has commenced at the "Y", and a fairly large crowd were present last Wednesday. "Y" hope to be able to field two teams (one at least) each week during the Summer months and all intending players will be given a game. Among those available are P. Ashford, J. Tomlinson, G. Bedford, A. Robson, R. Norman, W. E. Kerr, who will captain the side; J. Sloan, R. Goldman, A. Keown, G. M. Cornfield, A. May (if available), R. Simpson and W. Scholes.

R. B. Wood, well-known European Y.M.C.A. swimmer and water-polo player, has only recently been discharged from Queen Mary Hospital. He was suffering from a chest complaint, and it is extremely doubtful if he will do any swimming just yet.

Mrs. Maude Read will represent the Ladies' Section on the European Y.M.C.A. Swimming Committee. She represented the Ladies' Section several seasons ago and at present is giving swimming lessons at St. Paul's Girls' College, in addition to the "Y" pool.

B. G. Baker, who played for Police Recreation Club in the Tennis League last year, will be turning out for Civil Service Cricket Club this season.

The Police Club's Kent Cup golf competition was won for the first time by MacDonald, who beat Willetton in the Final.

Inspector Chester-Woods, who turned out regularly for Police juniors in the Lawn Bowls League last year, is going on Home leave early next month.

It appears that Hong Kong Baseball Club have now found a very useful pitcher in Madigan, who pitched a great game against Recreio last week. When Delaney is ready the Club should have a strong battery and will take a lot of beating.

Lawrence, of Hong Kong Baseball Club, is a decided asset to the team. Last Saturday he brought off several good catches at right field and was the outstanding outfielder. At bat, Lawrence was also good, registering two hits.

M. Cunnetti, who played bowls for Civil Service Cricket Club last season, tells me that he can now find time for practice and hopes to be playing in the League regularly.

H. Wing Lee has gathered a strong team for the Chinese water-polo League at South China pavilion and hopes to win the title again this season.

Ho de Sa, who did not play much water-polo last year owing to illness, has started training and hopes to regain his place in the South China team.

Wong Sun-man, well-known swimming exponent of Mak Nga Swimming Association, is expected to turn out for the Chung Shing Bathing Club this season in the Water-Polo League.

It is learned that Mak Nga Swimming Association is contemplating establishing a branch in Shanghai with the object of participating in the Shanghai Water-Polo League this Summer.

Water-polo players of Chung Shing Bathing Club are already training hard for the forthcoming League. There should be an exciting struggle for the title this year between Chung Shing, South China and Chinese Bathing Club.

Ng Lin, prominent water-polo forward, is turning out again this season for Chung Shing Bathing Club.

Kwok Chun-hang, China's breast-stroke swimming champion, will leave Shanghai next month to spend his Summer vacation in the Colony.

The English Forum will shortly meet a team representing Diocesan Boys' School in a return tennis encounter. They were beaten in their first match.

S. P. Chan, prominent badminton player of King's College, and water-polo player of Chung Shing Bathing Club, has accepted the post as coach of the latter organisation.

The Misses Tita Bayot and Nena Guevara, two residents of Manila, are holidaying in Hong Kong. Both are taking part in the Craigengower Cricket Club's Mixed Doubles tennis tournament now in progress.

L. Souza, who recently took up tennis at Radio Sports Club, has made such great strides that he will be representing the Club in the League this season.

The Hong Kong Cricket Club League tennis team will shortly suffer the loss of one of their most enthusiastic players. F. V. Harrison is proceeding Home in a few weeks.

A. B. Hamson, Craigengower Cricket Club all-round sportsman, is unlikely to play any tennis this season owing to an injured foot.

Mrs. Norah Castro, the badminton player and golfer, has added tennis to her other sporting activities. She gives promise of developing into a fine player.

H. M. Cockle, an enthusiastic member of Civil Service cricket team, left for England recently.

D. Wass, Police hockey player, left for Home by s.s. Corfu.

S. MacNider, C.B.A. hockey player, has left for Singapore, where he will be staying for an indefinite period.

D. R. A. Spreckley, the novice jockey, has, I understand, intimated that he will not be riding again this season.

Mrs. T. F. Lo, Chinese Recreation Club tennis player, will not be playing in the League this season. She is visiting her mother in the North.

Friends of Victor Frith, former Hong Kong boy, who made quite a name for himself in Kent County tennis circles, will be interested to learn that he has now been commissioned as Pilot-Officer in the Royal Air Force.

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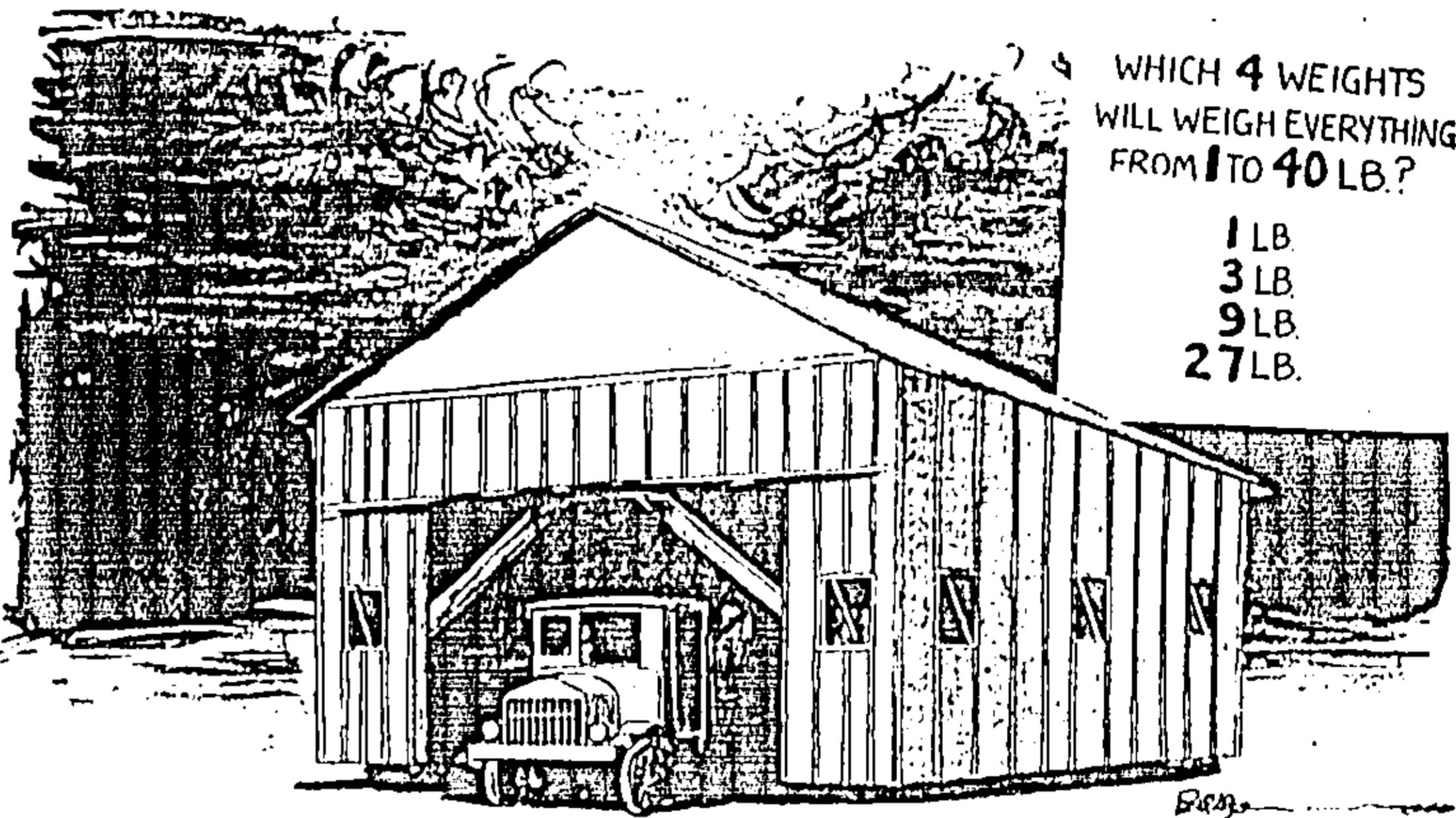
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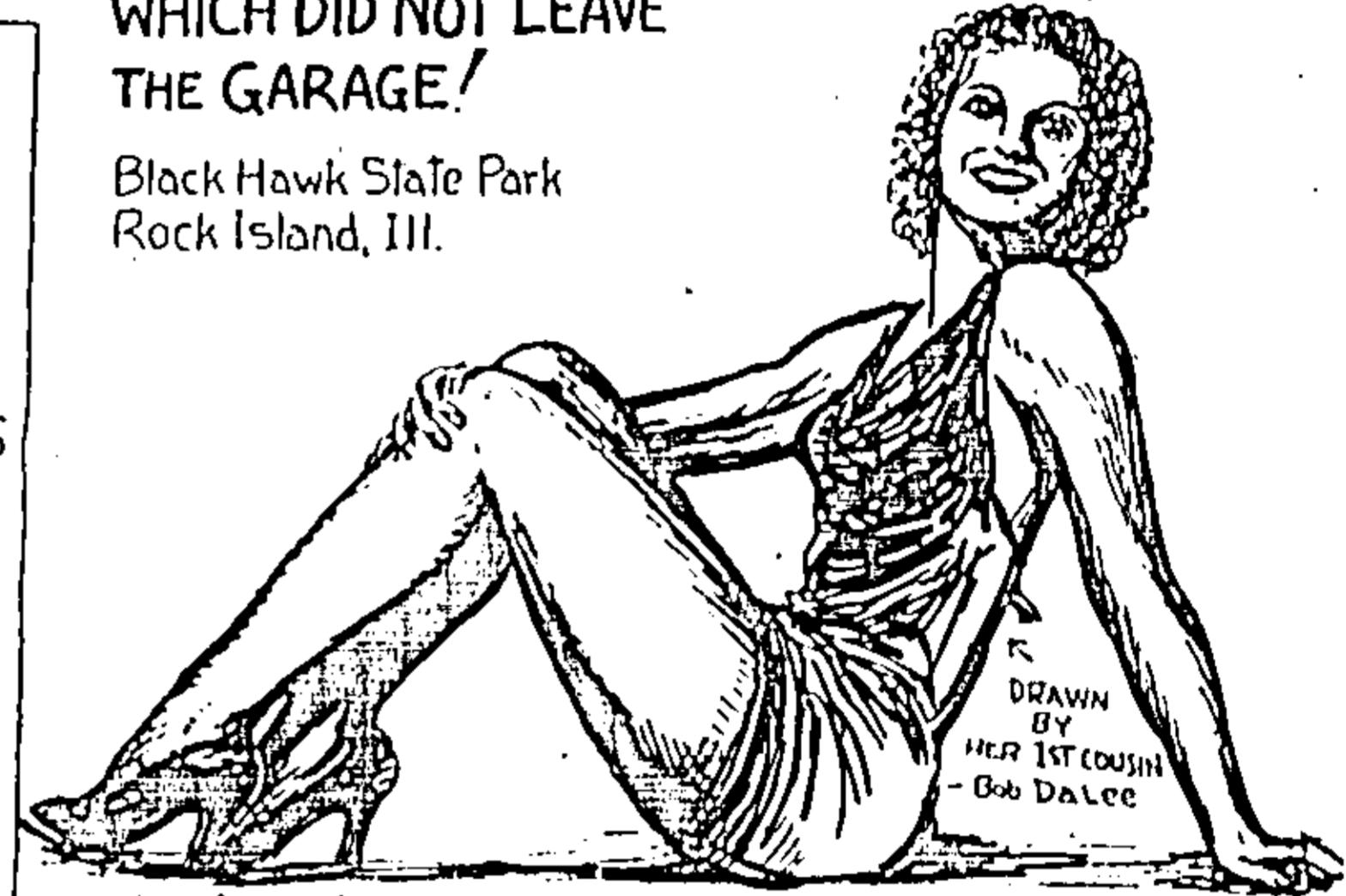
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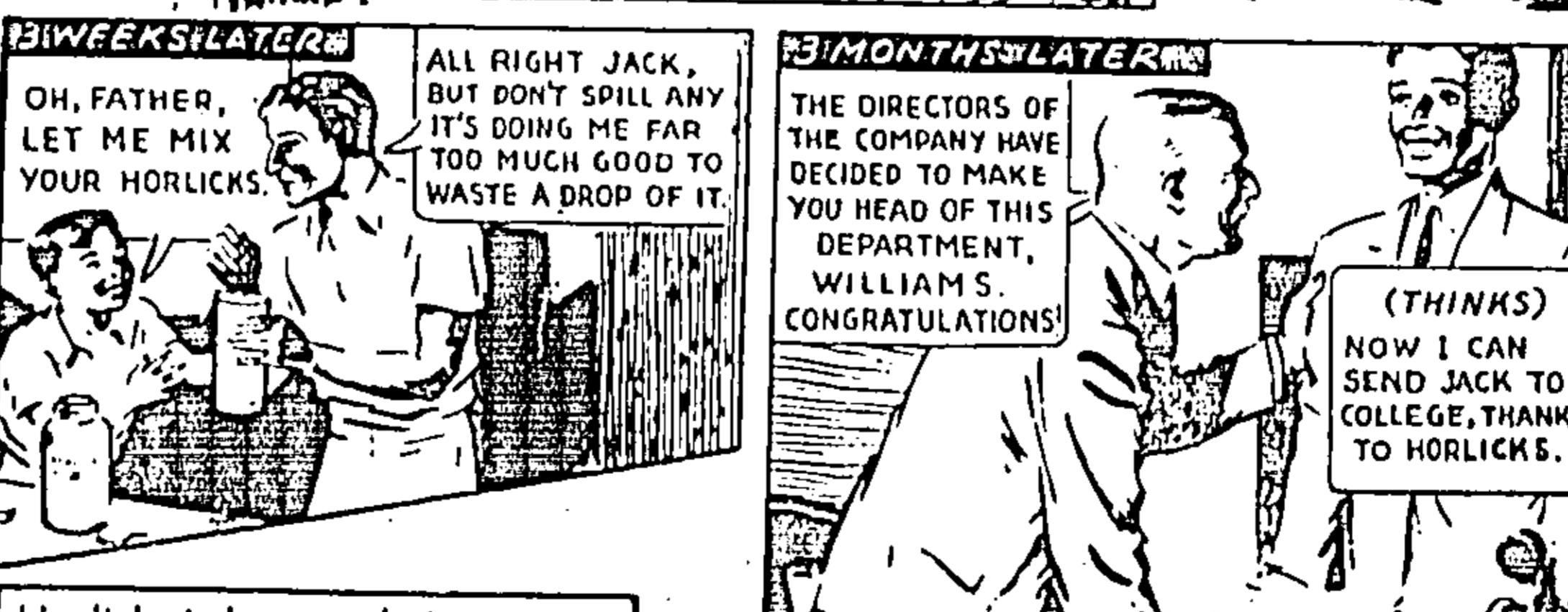
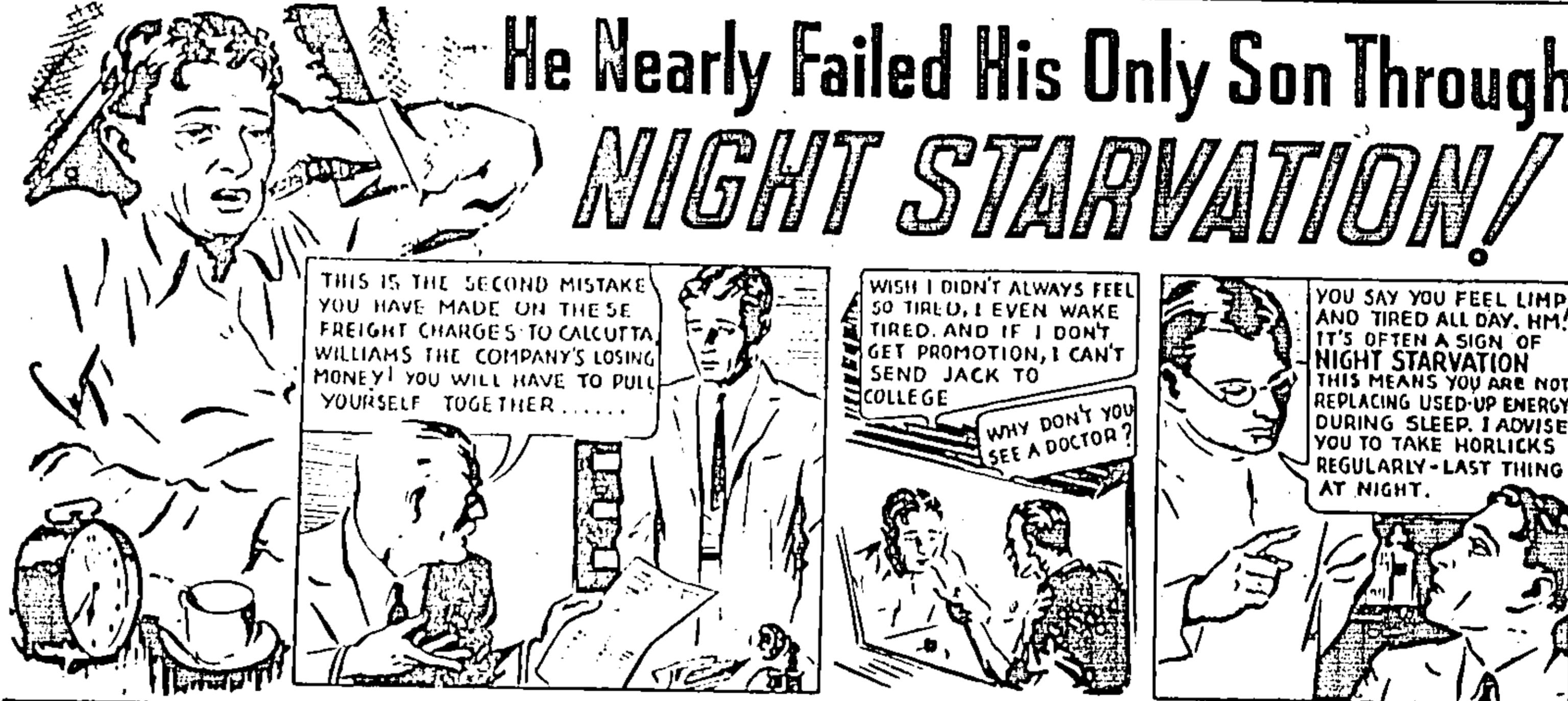
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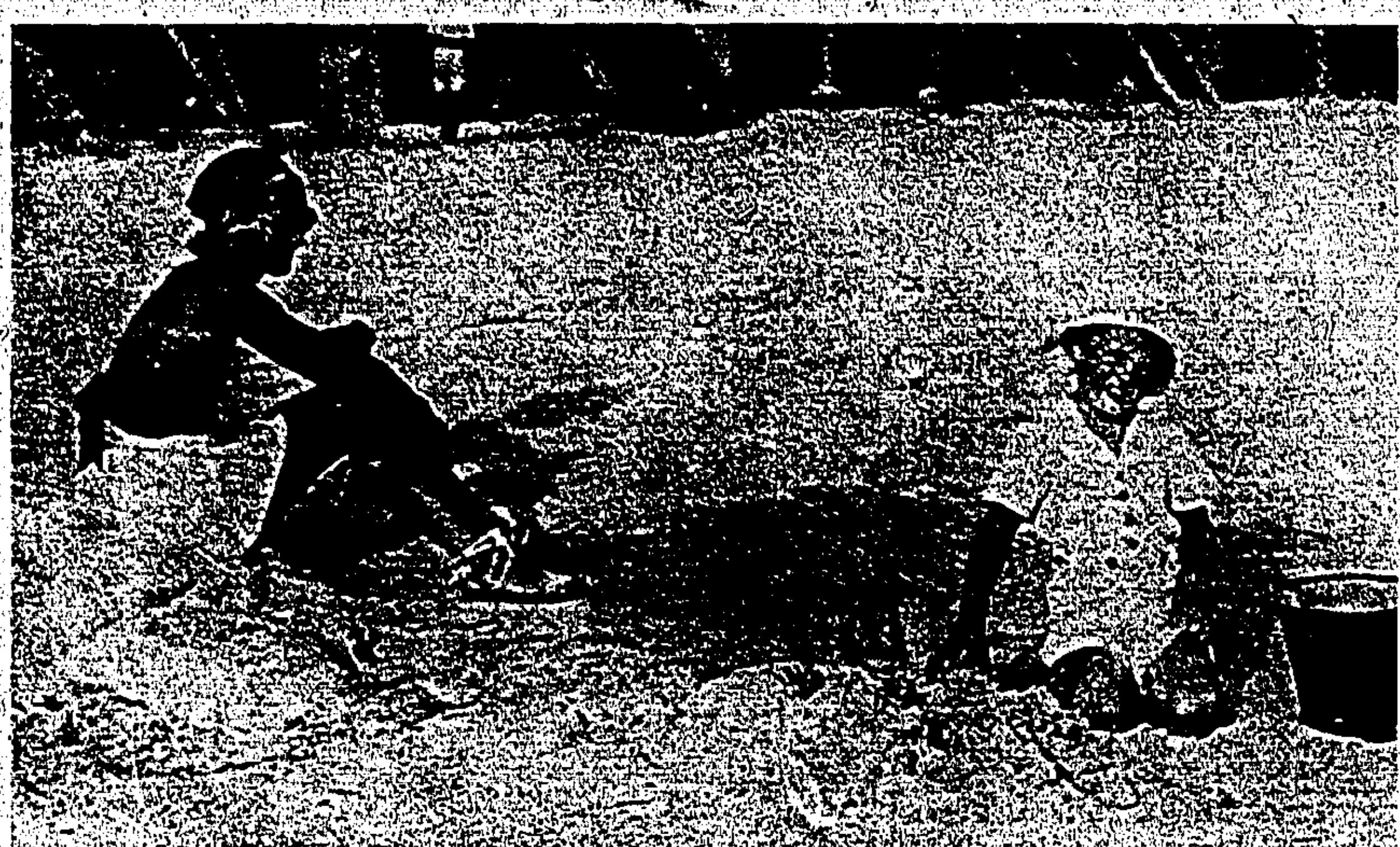


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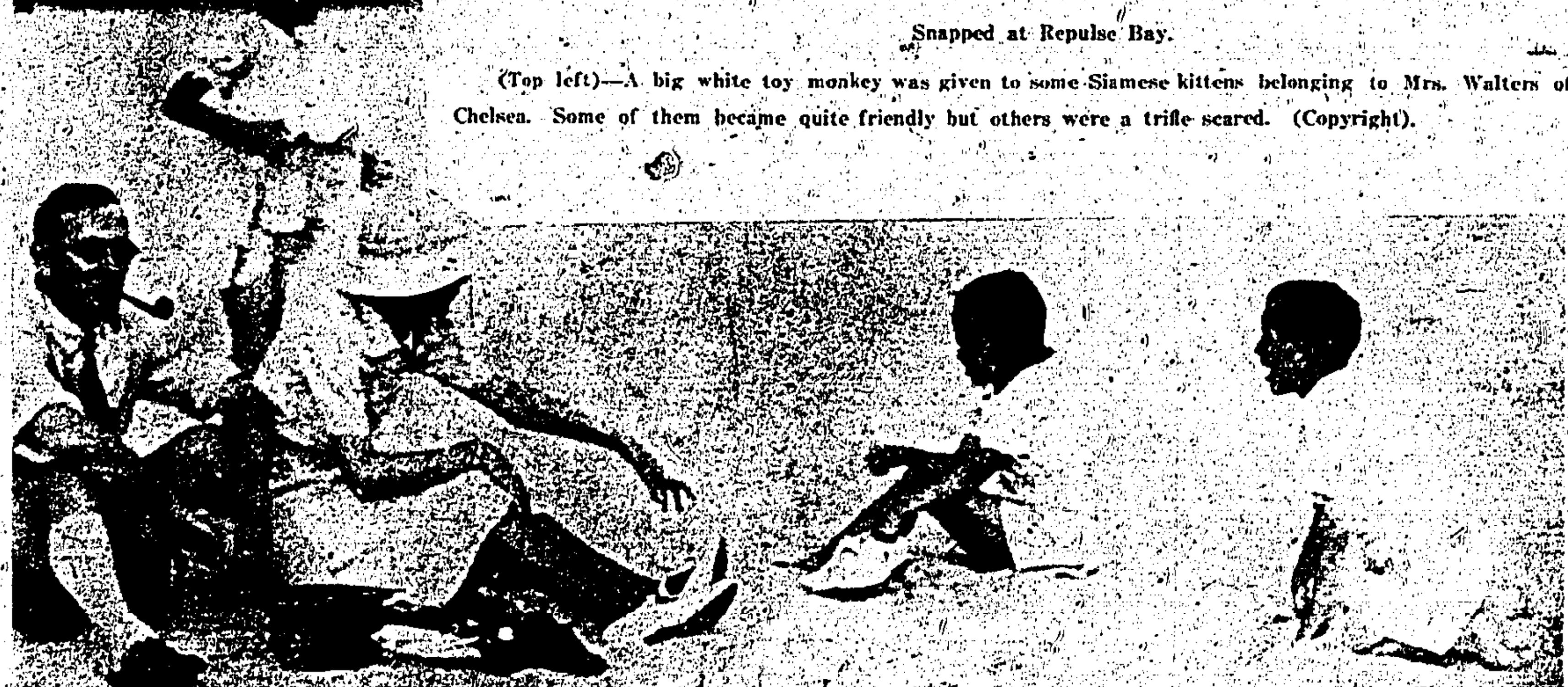
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Miss Diana Dowell, who made her debut in the local Mixed Doubles Tennis League last Monday, playing for the H.K.C.C. against the L.R.C. ("Herald" photo).

# MUSSOLINI MOVES TROOPS IN LIBYA TO TUNISIA BORDER

London Uneasy Over Signs Of Franco-Italian Tension

## French Cabinet Minister In London

London, Yesterday.

The arrival here of the French Minister for Justice, M. Paul Reynaud, is attracting much attention and it is regarded as certain that he will have a conversation with Lord Halifax on the subject of Franco-Italian relations.

Uneasiness in British political circles has been increased by the news of despatch of Italian troops to the frontier between Libya and Tunis, a step which is considered here to furnish a new proof of Mussolini's determination to reply by an immediate counter-demonstration to any anti-Italian move on the part of the French Government.

The "Daily Telegraph's" political correspondent writes that in his conversation with M. Reynaud, Lord Halifax will be able to refer to the detailed report received from the British Ambassador in Rome on the discussions with Count Ciano.

The "Daily Mail" believes that the two Ministers will endeavour to discover a formula for the withdrawal of the volunteers from Spain, which will be submitted to the non-Intervention Committee which will meet again next week.

### A WARNING

The "News Chronicle" states that Lord Halifax will take the opportunity to point out to M. Reynaud that any increase of supplies of war material to Spain would imperil the success of the British Government which aims at clarifying the situation in Spain as rapidly as possible.

Political circles generally are of the opinion that the British Ambassador in Paris will get into touch with the French Government within the next 48 hours to ascertain its views regarding the meeting of the non-Intervention Committee next week.—Trans-Ocean.

### LONG DISCUSSION

London, Yesterday. M. Paul Reynaud, who is visiting England in connection with the annual congress of the

"Alliance Française" at Levens, called yesterday morning at the Foreign Office, where he had a long conversation with Lord Halifax.

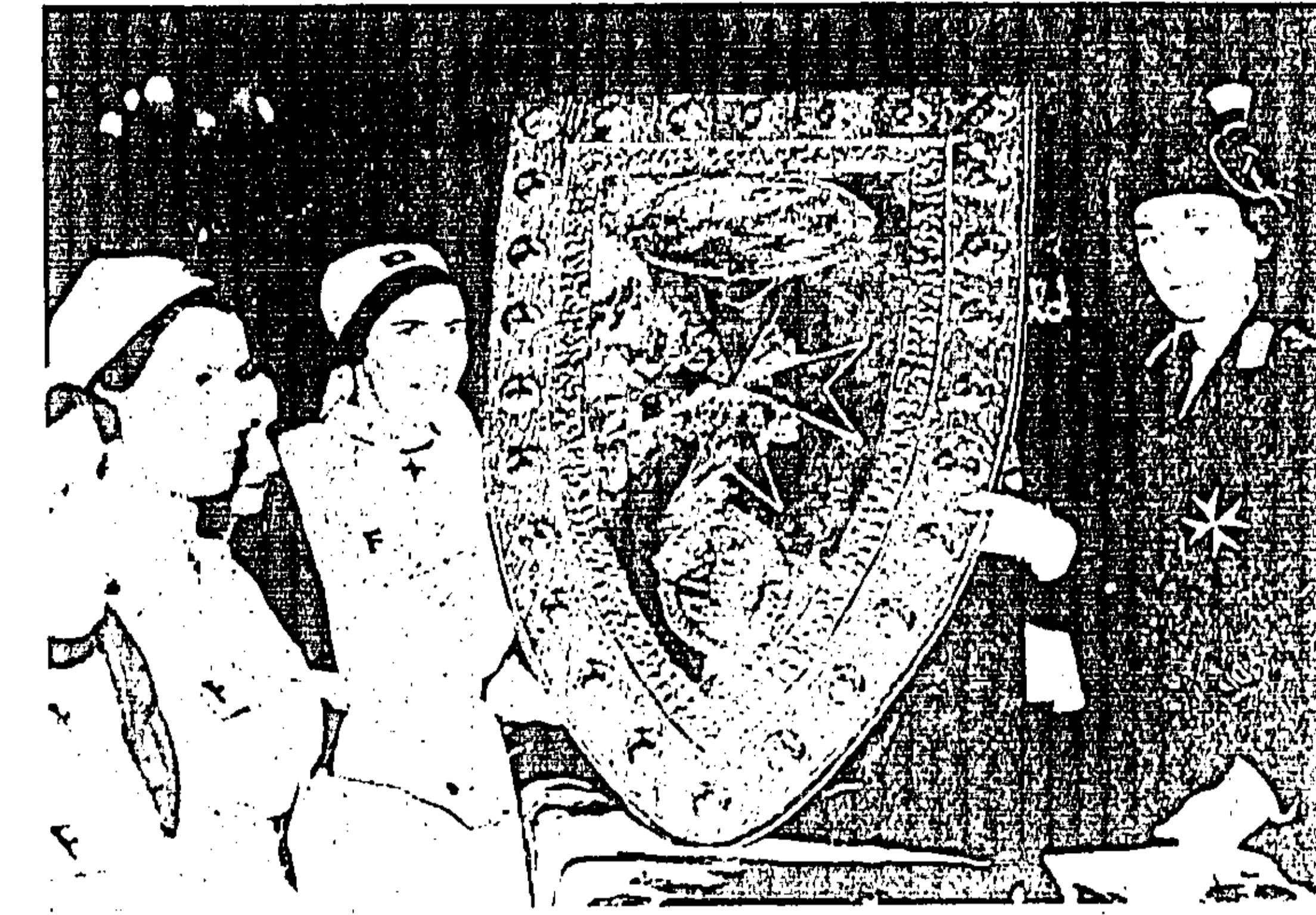
No official statement concerning the conversation has been issued, since, as is carefully stressed on both sides, the French Minister's journey is "of a purely private nature."

Political circles, however, attach great importance to the talk between the two statesmen at a time when the British Government is making efforts to bring about resumption of the Franco-Italian negotiations.—Trans-Ocean.

### ITALIAN CHARGES

Rome, Yesterday. Contributing to the discussion between Paris and Rome which has arisen as result of the rupture of the Franco-Italian negotiations, the semi-official "Agenzia Stefani" alleged that the desperate resistance of the Republicans in the last few months has been made possible solely by the huge and increasing supply of military equipment from France.

It appears, continues the paper, that the continuation of the Spanish civil war is the main object of those who wanted to prevent a conclusion of the Anglo-Italian agreement at all costs and by misrepresentation of the facts, to throw the responsibility onto Italy.—Trans-Ocean.



HRH The Duchess of Gloucester on May 13 presented the prizes for the St. John Ambulance Brigade competitions at the Great Central Hotel. Photo shows the Duchess presenting the Perret Shield to the leader of the Weymouth team. (Copyright: By Air Mail).

## UNDERGROUND DISASTER

### DESERTER WHO REMAINED IN HIDING FOR 23 YEARS

PARIS, YESTERDAY.

THE ALMOST INCREDIBLE STORY OF A SOLDIER WHO DESERTED FROM THE FRONT DURING THE WORLD WAR AND, TO ESCAPE PUNISHMENT, REMAINED IN HIDING FOR 23 YEARS HAS JUST COME TO LIGHT THROUGH REPORTS OF A TRIAL BEFORE THE COURT MARTIAL IN LILLE.

The French soldier, Denie Caron of Beauvais, who belonged to the 51st Infantry Regiment, deserted from his detachment during the Battle of the Marne in September, 1914.

He took refuge in the cellar of a farmhouse owned by his parents. Both parents had since died but friends who came into possession of the farmhouse kept Caron's secret until his friend himself also died suddenly in 1937, when Caron was obliged to "move."

Thereupon he decided to surrender to the authorities. Caron is now 51 years of age.

The court administered the very light sentence of two years jail.—Trans-Ocean.

### Full Blame Accepted By Board

### U. S. LORRIES FOR SPAIN

London, Yesterday.

The cause of the accident on the London Underground Railway on Tuesday as the result of which 6 persons lost their lives and many were injured seriously, was revealed when the public inquiry instituted by the Minister of Transport was opened.

In a statement on behalf of the London Passenger Transport Board, an official said the cause was a wrong connection in the signal wiring.

"The signalling system on the District Line consists of automatic and semi-automatic signals, all of which are controlled by track-circuits. The system is designed to ensure that no signal is operated to the clear position whilst a train is standing on the section it is intended to protect. The eastbound starting signal at Charing Cross failed to give this security upon this occasion. The Board had made the closest investigation into its failure and has ascertained that it was due to a wrong connection in the wiring of the signal.

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"This wrong connection in the wiring was made in the course of alterations to the installation at this point which were being carried out the previous night. The check test required and provided following such work also failed. The faults were not in the system of signalling but were in the way in which the signal was dealt with in the course of maintenance. The Board is taking steps to tighten up procedure to prevent, as far as humanly possible, the repetition of such a fault."

The Board's Solicitor intimated that the Board accepted full responsibility for the accident and all reasonable and proper claims arising from it would be met in a fair and adequate spirit.

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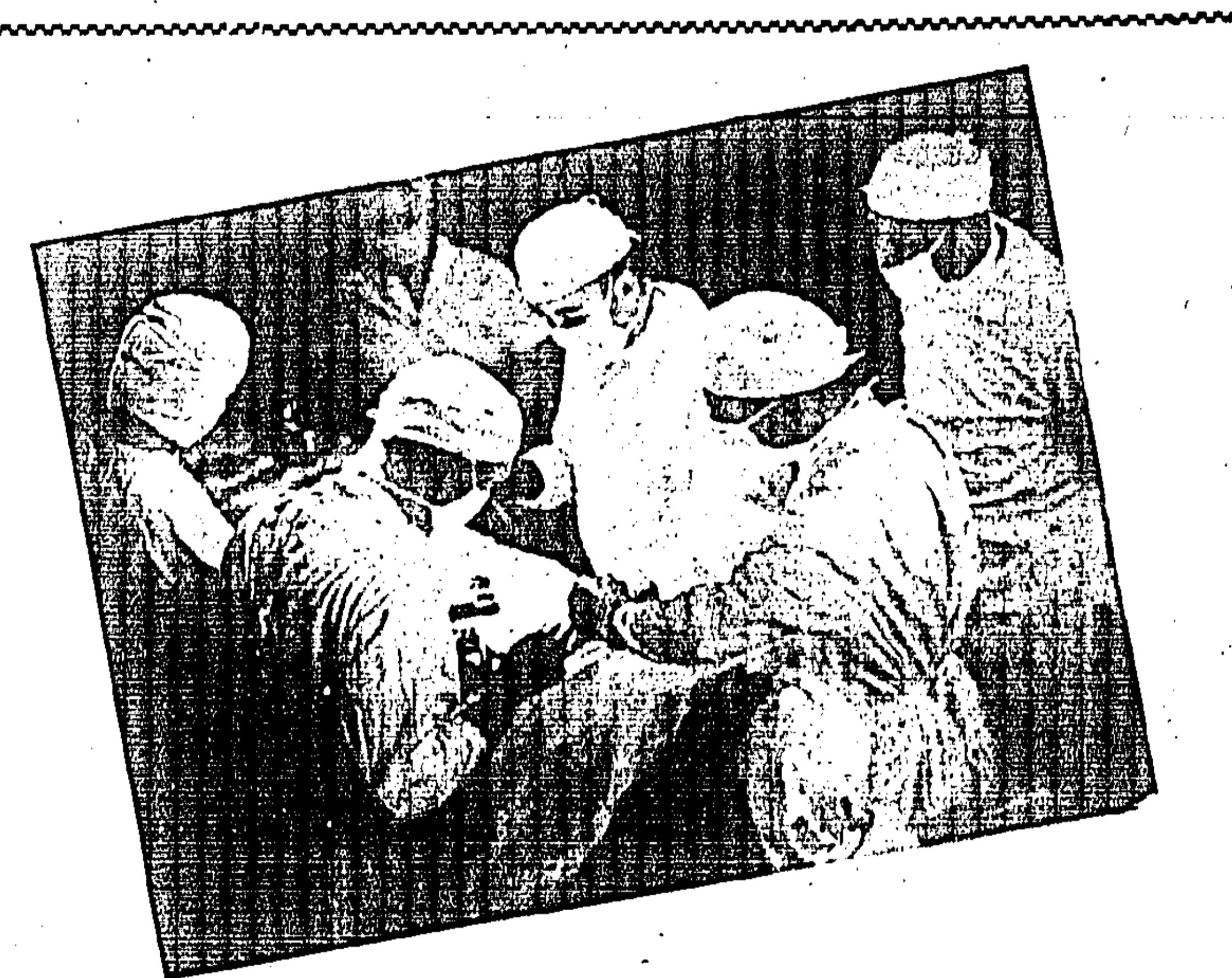
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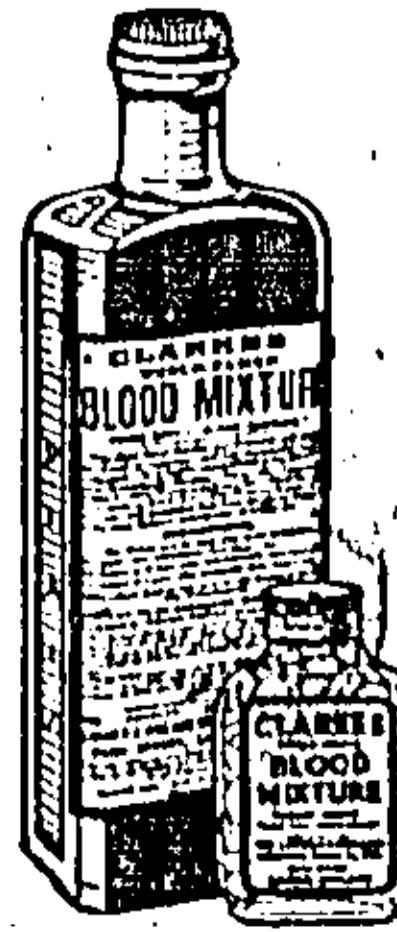


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## Good Luck To Sheep

LET us consider the claims of the beasts.

Sir Frederick Hobday, hon. veterinary surgeon to the King, has been appealing, on behalf of animals, for "a painless death at outlets for our humane instincts, skilled hands when the time comes."

"Many slaughter-houses," he says, "have adopted a by-law that sheep must be rendered unconscious before being killed by a knife. The last rites should be performed painlessly."

The human species, familiarly known as Hom. Sapi., will receive this information with a certain wistfulness.

We do not begrudge the beasts their privileges. We tender our congratulations, and wish them good luck. But every day the authorities remind us that the slaughter of the human species, in the near future, is as necessary and inevitable as that of the sheep.

And we cannot help noticing

The neutrals would sneak in and pinch all the trade, the ends, and the war would have been all for nothing.

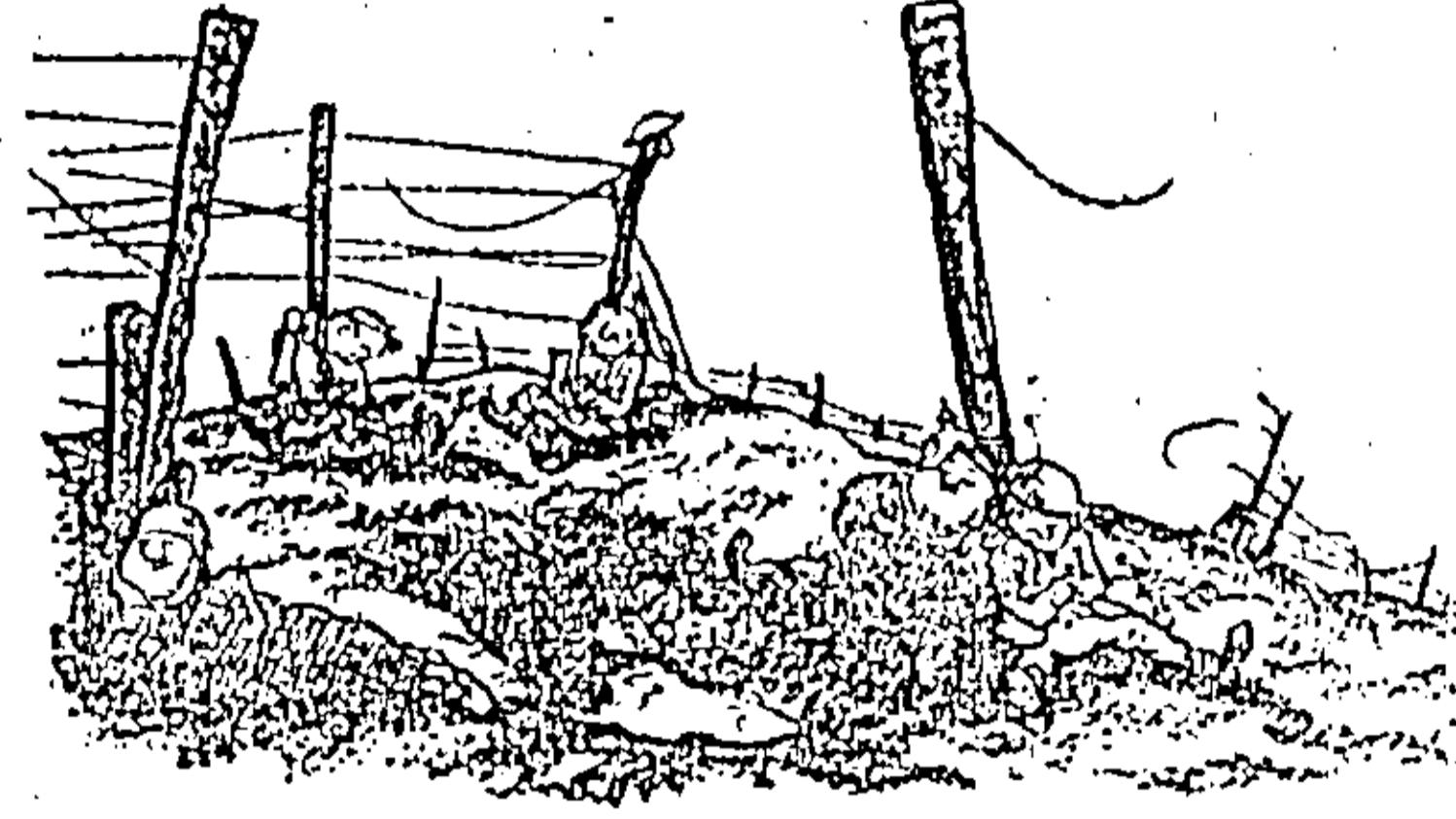
Anyhow, you see the difficulty. We are a kindly race, and need species beyond a certain point, as it would weaken our national defences. So we turn our charity on to animals.

You can be as decent as you like to the beasts without exposing democracy to the danger of attack, retarding the trade boom, or undermining the Confidence of the City.

THE whole question, I know, raises that very difficult problem—namely, the relative importance of men and beasts. Men have always puzzled over this. During the Stone Age they regarded the beasts as superior to themselves, and to laugh at an animal was punishable by death.

And we cannot help noticing

We do not go as far as that now,



The danger is that both sides might be sent to sleep simultaneously.

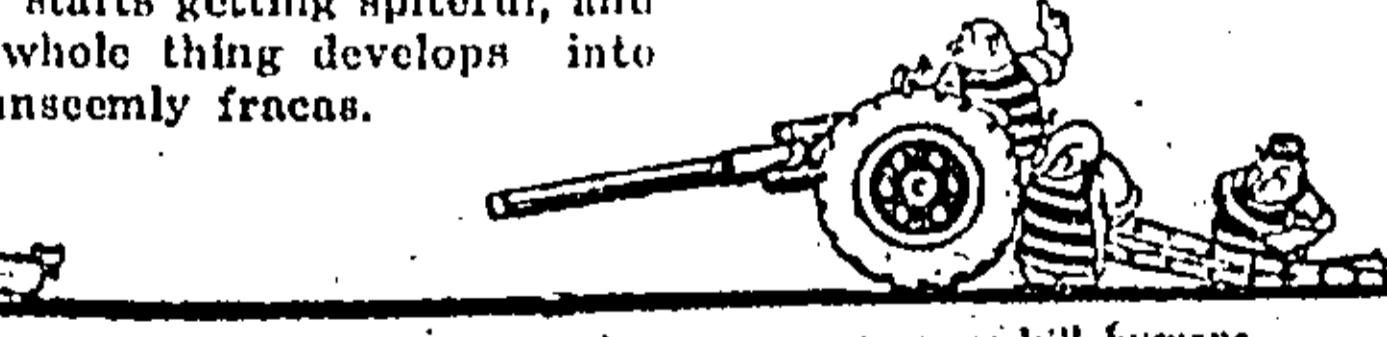
that while one set of educated though I know middle-class families, on platforms, are discussing where you get a very dirty the most comfortable way of look if you try to stop the Pekes, disposing sheep and lambs, another set of educated people, in the of the doubt, and treat them with most uncomfortable ways of disposing of women and children.

So we give animals the benefit laboratories, are inventing the of the doubt, and treat them with great respect, except in the case of sport. Many people are puzzled by this exception. But the explanation is simple:—

UP to a point, beasts and humans are treated with equality. The violent and premeditated off-bumping of both (at skilled hands) is regarded as an essential feature of the social order. It is in the manner of their demise that the Most Favoured Species Clause becomes operative.

The danger is, therefore, that, sooner or later, the public, moved by a sense of unfairness, may begin to demand equal treatment. Unfortunately, humane killing for humans is impracticable. All efforts to humanise war have failed. You start off intending to kill each other kindly and politely, with apologies for carelessness and a referee blowing a whistle every time there's a foul. But, somehow or other, after a time somebody starts getting spiteful, and the whole thing develops into an unseemly fracas.

NEVERTHELESS, in spite of their respect for animals, I fear the British public may soon start complaining of favouritism in the matter of slaughter.



We must kill animals in the same way as we kill humans.

Another difficulty is that you can't run an economic system without armaments. One of the in public about human killers, or unalterable laws of nature is that else we must kill animals in the manufacture of weapons. The latter would be difficult.

The humane instincts of the people would revolt if they saw a butcher sailing into a sheepfold, armed with all sorts of weapons, shooting and exploding some of the sheep, asphyxiating others, and leaving a heap of dead and wounded.

"That's not the way to treat dumb animals," they would say. "What do you think they are—civilians? Besides, you're spoiling the mutton!"

There is only one way to prevent the possibility of public discontent. We must forbid the public discussion of painless deaths for cattle. All humanitarian propaganda must be painlessly suppressed.

## ONE THING & ANOTHER

M'LUD, the prisoner, Peter Snoop, is charged with a most terrible offence, the worst of his nature, that I have ever experienced during my long years at the Bar."

A shudder of anticipation of horrors to come ran through the crowded courtroom as counsel opened the case for the prosecution.

"Witnesses will tell you that Snoop, under the guise of journalistic activity, has been carrying on violent propaganda activities for a Certain Foreign Power, which I do not propose to identify in any way beyond mentioning that the capital is Moscow.

"It is to these depths that this young man, still in his twenties, has sunk."

Strong men in the court blanched. Two women fainted. Even Peter, hardened as he is, turned pale underneath his mask.

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Where Gas Is Used  
To Destroy Life

ON May 10, Reuter reported that Dr. Wellington Koo, China's special delegate to the League meetings, had charged Japan with preparing to use poison gas for breaking the Chinese resistance on the Shantung front. He gave as evidence the names of two Japanese generals, Generals Motoma and Kikuchi, who were said to have left Japan for the meeting ago. Referring to the horrors of

# ★ Poison Gas Menace ★

writer to prove or disprove that ness of their handling of gas masks. We laugh at the proverbial ostrich when it tries to save itself by burying its head in the sand, without ever questioning, more on the courage and loyalty of her fighters than the deadliness of the weapons with which they are equipped. It is rather his belief that the time has come for every thinking man to face the problem of poison gas, no matter where it is used for the destruction of lives.

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In recent years people in most countries seem to be getting accustomed and reconciled to the horrors of war, that more ef-

By Dr. Lin  
Wo-Chiang

years ago by Alberdi; yet, to-day it sounds significant and censorial, in application to the aim and means of the aggressive war waged by Japan against China.

The aim of Japan in this undeclared war has been condemned by most countries in unmistakable terms. The means of which Japan makes use to attain its end, in the indiscriminate bombings and the deliberate devastation of Chinese countryside, have also provoked world protest. In Japan actually going to aggravate these excesses by employing poison gas, in utter disregard of established principles, and as if she had not already "done enough damage to China?" Japan announces to the world that she is fighting China for the purpose of preserving peace in Eastern Asia. Now even should Japan be able to justify her war aim, when the means used are barbarous and savage it is impossible even for the most credulous to think that the war could continue to have any civilized aims. In war, as in politics, it is the means which justify the end, and not otherwise. War is bad enough not to need of its being debased to the order of the jungle. There, and there alone, a ferocious display of primitive instincts surprises no one.

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Although gas had been used in earlier wars (by the Spartans against their enemies), and by Gustavus Adolphus of Sweden in the Middle Ages, it was of a nature comparatively harmless. There is no known instance where poison or asphyxiating gas was used, until the advent of the Great War; by the Germans on April 22, 1915, in the second battle of Ypres.

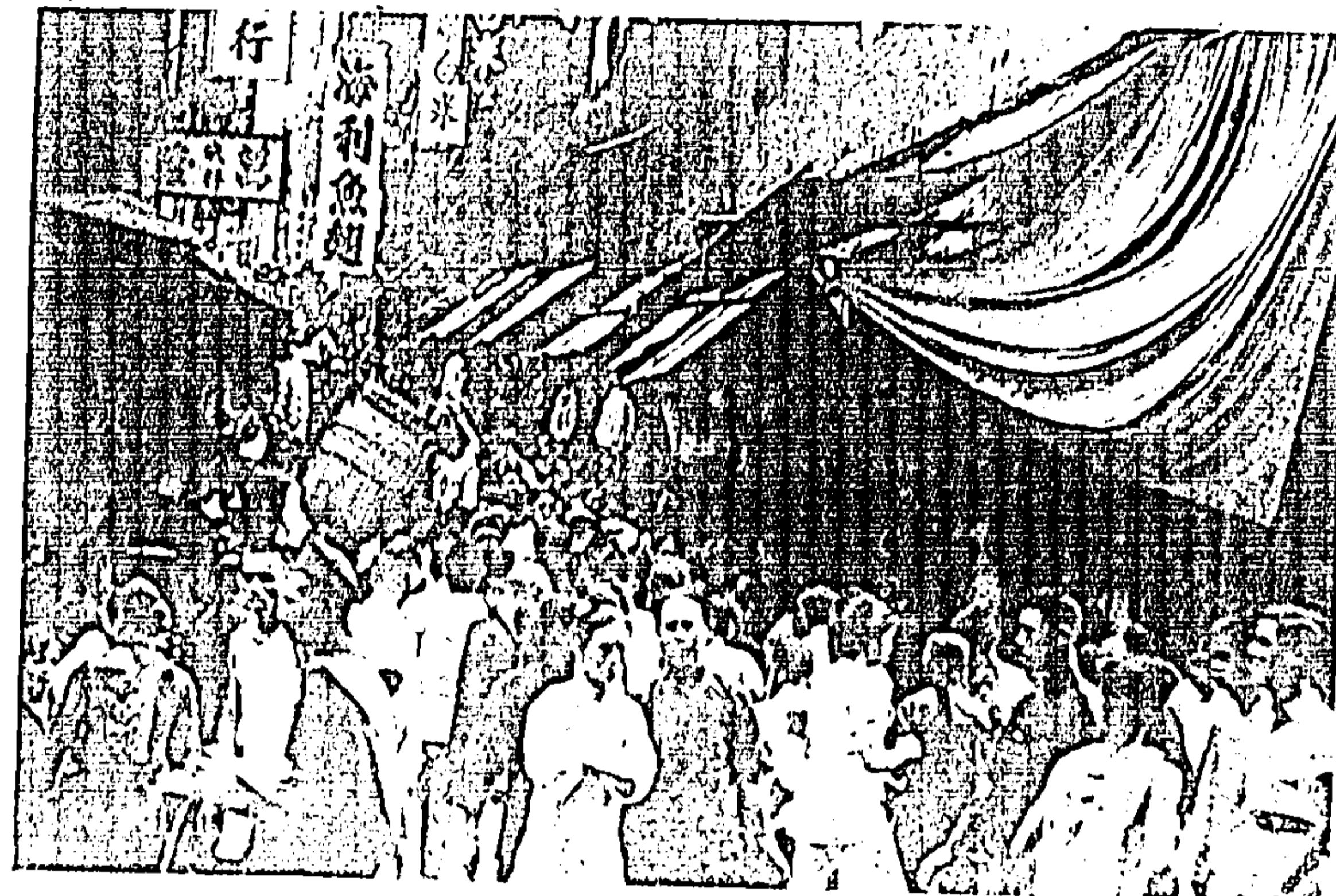
In the first part of the last century, Lord Dundonald announced that he had discovered a certain poison gas for overcoming enemies, which he offered to the British Government. This was submitted to a government committee for investigation in 1847. While admitting the power of destruction of the gas as claimed by Lord Dundonald, they pointed out that, "once employed this power could not be retained exclusively by Great Britain," and they considered, moreover, that "the adoption of the plan would not accord with the feelings and principles of civilized warfare." Thus the idea of using poison gas was early rejected by an enlightened government, both on ground of expediency and as a matter of principle.

In the light of the above fact, M. R. Royce's thesis that utilitarianism or military interest will always be the predominating motive of the belligerent in the employment of weapons and methods of warfare, must be received with caution and qualification. (In his Aerial Bombardment.) The fact is that in war there are other principles to be taken into consideration, the violence of which not infrequently works against the military interests of the violator. In 1915, Germany desperately resorted to poison gas and an unrestricted submarine policy, with the consequence that it not only stiffened the resistance of her enemy, who retaliated in kind, but also hastened the neutral countries to throw in their lot with the Allies. The United States went to war apparently because of the German submarine policy. History might have been written differently had the United States remained neutral throughout the War.

The unprincipled belligerent usually finds to his discomfiture, and often too late, that he is brought face to face with retaliation from the party injured and with social sanction on the part of those who have so far stood aloof from the conflict. For there is a certain standard, a standard of international conduct, established by international customs and conventions, which must be observed. Any flagrant disregard of such standard is liable to make its violator a criminal in the eyes of the injured, and of third parties. One of these standards of international conduct in time of war is, that the right of belligerents to adopt means of injuring the enemy is not unlimited. The employment of forbidden weapons, poison gas, for instance, is a case in point.

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In discussing the laws governing war, J. B. Alberdi said in 1813, in his book *The Crime of War*, that the crime of war may be (1) in its *design*, when it has its aim conquest, laying waste, mere vengeance, the overthrow of freedom or the independence of a State and the servitude of its inhabitants; (2) in its *means* or methods, when it is brought about by treachery, trickery, fire, poison . . . instead of being brought about by fair, open, frank and straight forward contest . . . This was written some thirty



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for China in command of certain horrors by horrors than in war raging in China, the detachments equipped with gas eliminating them. Lulled into a false security, on the one hand, and so accustomed to these horrors as to the attitude of the British Government in view of Japanese preparation for the use of gas in China. In face of this disquieting news, one cannot help suspecting that there is something in the air. Here, however, no attempt will be made by the

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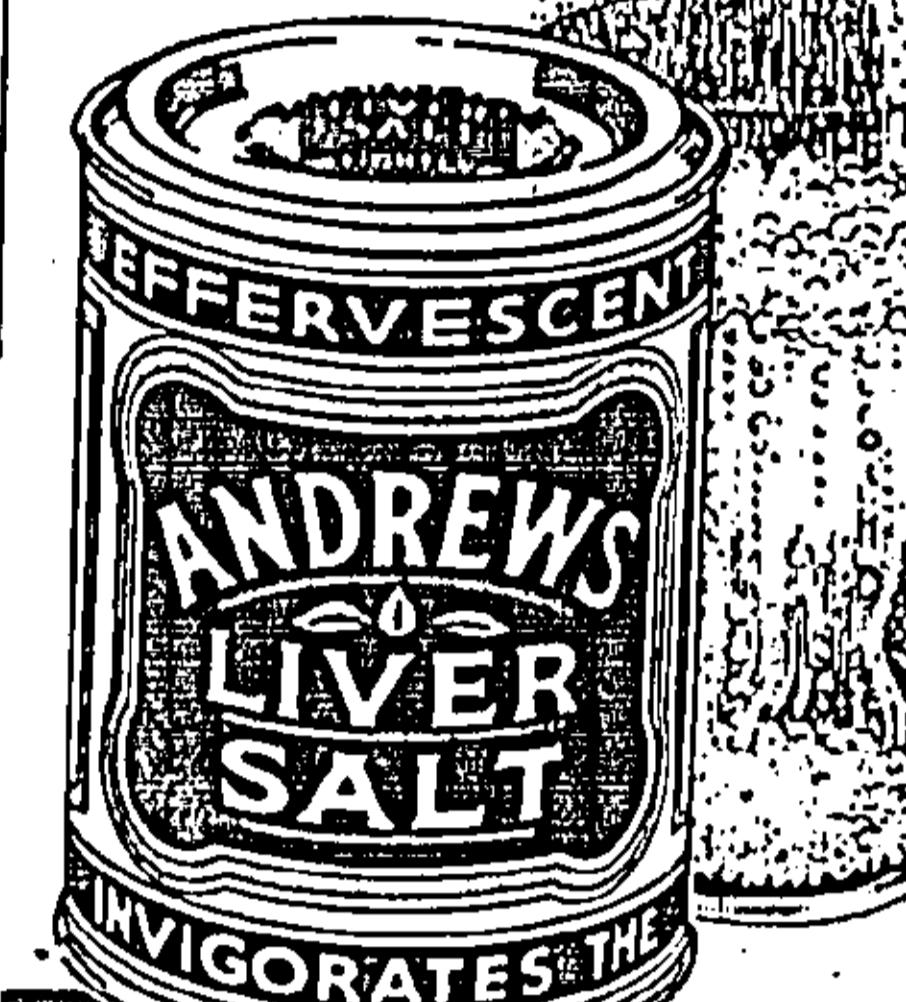
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ON re-reading the articles "Just As Much Do I Wonder By What Involved And Dubious Processes Of Reasoning Some Of Hong Kong's Taipans Square Their Consciences With Even The Ordinary Standards Of Decency."

Hukone Maru which carried me from Hong Kong. Nothing will ever separate me from it; not to satisfy the hardest hunger of my body will I sell it; not the ravings of theologians or moralists will ever destroy its meaning for me—nothing!

Two Pièces  
Of Teakwood

And yet perhaps I am wrong. I can imagine love making me part with it; how can I tell where love will lead? How can any man tell what self-giving love will accomplish? After all it is only a figure carved by a Swiss artist some of whose conversation I shall always remember; only two pieces of wood even with the ordinary standards less. The whole thing was meaningless until he was nailed upon the cross. I realised then as never before, the absolute historic necessity of the crucifixion of Jesus of Nazareth. I realised too whom I've never even seen. The absolute personal necessity to hour of sacramental experience when I nailed the two together, that is the vital part of my crucifix, that is its real beauty for me, and I can never lose that.

That hour's experience is a symbol, a symbol of the inevitability of suffering, of the suffering me to open before my mind and which Christ endured, of the suffering spirit the nature of the eternal suffering, the glory of suffering heart of God and the essential which I, which any man, must endure when he realises and accepts his part in the infinite duty

I placed my Christ upon his of all to each. It is not only my cross, I took the hammer into my suffering, it is also the suffering hand, then steadily and unflinchingly as those Roman hands of old, in every relationship which I drive three nails, one through cognisance the infinite duty of all his right hand and one through his left hand, and one through his left hand, and one through his love, of love given and love received. Then I raised my crucifix exalted, it is the price we have to into position. It hangs above me pay for our knowledge of God in as I write. It was with me on the Christ.

BY THE REV.  
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Truth Of  
Society

If we believe in sacraments in any sense, we must eventually believe that the whole of life is a sacrament. If we regard the bread and wine of Holy Communion as having a religious significance for us, then we must, unless we are to belie our belief, see that all bread is a sacrament, and all life sacramental. We must come to regard our actions and to judge them on sacramental values—we must see our conduct in every instance as the outward and visible sign of that which is inward and spiritual in us. It is when you judge your life on that standard that the truth of yourself and the truth of society become terribly apparent. What is the type of inwardness, what is the spiritual origin of our everyday conduct? Are our motives really spiritual at all? Think of them in concrete instance? Tomorrow, what are you going to do tomorrow? Why are you going to do that?

Work, I suppose, constitutes for the majority of men the essential part of their day? Why do you work? Is it because you are deliberately seeking to create God's Kingdom in men's hearts, or because you wish to earn money?

Motive In  
Earning

Your motive in earning money may be morally good; you may earn money in order to feed yourself and maintain your dependents; you may earn money in order to possess a little leisure in your old age; you may earn money because you want money and the power which money brings you—but not one of these are spiritual motives for working. When you attempt to prove that they are, you have to depart from the obvious and undertake roundabout and Jesuitical arguments to maintain your contention. Unless your work directly contributes to the creation and increase of fellowship and brotherhood, your work is unworthy of the spiritual mind.

Remember that Jesus did not only say, "The Kingdom of heaven is within you," he also said, "The Kingdom of heaven is among you."

That which is spiritual in our lives must find expression in our society, even though it only be through revolt from society, or it is valueless.

I Wonder  
How

I wonder, for instance, how any soldier whose only function in society is that of a potential murderer can square his life with the sacramental ideal? I wonder too how the great number of Naval Dockyard officials and workers, whose work is to preserve in efficient murkering condition cultural instruments of death, can square their lives with the requirements of the brotherhood of God's Kingdom? And just as much do I wonder by what involved and me, it might have been a wooden dubious processes of reasoning model of the semi-nude figure of

an ill-kempt man appeared at the door of number two Jordan Road. Wing Tai who answered his ring came to my study and announced, "Another man come want your money, master." However, even in the face of his warning I went to the door and the man whom I received into the house and who spent most of the day with me was a Swiss carver who was travelling round the world paying his way with his work. He carried my crucifix in his pack. It was modelled from the great one in Nuremberg Cathedral. The face of the Christ bore the expression which most nearly satisfied me—a suffering expression full of beauty and courage.

The carver was a simple man, interesting and adventurous, with a fund of deep philosophy and true religion. The prices which he was charging for his work were ridiculously small and the dollars which found their way from my pocket to his, were not money but gratitude to him and to God for a gift long withheld.

He Was  
Intrigued

A few days later I asked Chang Po, the church-boy to get a Chinese carpenter to fashion a wooden cross for me. Chang brought it to me, smiling. He was intrigued. He has been working for the Kowloon Union Church since its inception almost, but he knew practically nothing about the Cross. I told him as well as I could what it meant, and what the man whom his brothers nailed to it, meant to me. Chang smiled again, slowly—that inscrutable smile which occasionally lights upon the faces of very young children—and then he said, "He must be a very good master."

Chang withdrew and I was left facing a wooden cross and my Christ. I stood and looked at the two pieces of wood for some time then I put them away into a drawer. I couldn't do it. A week passed and I brought them out again. I procured three small nails and a hammer and laid them on the table beside me, and still I could do nothing with them. I laid them away again. It wasn't until fully a month later that I completed the task.

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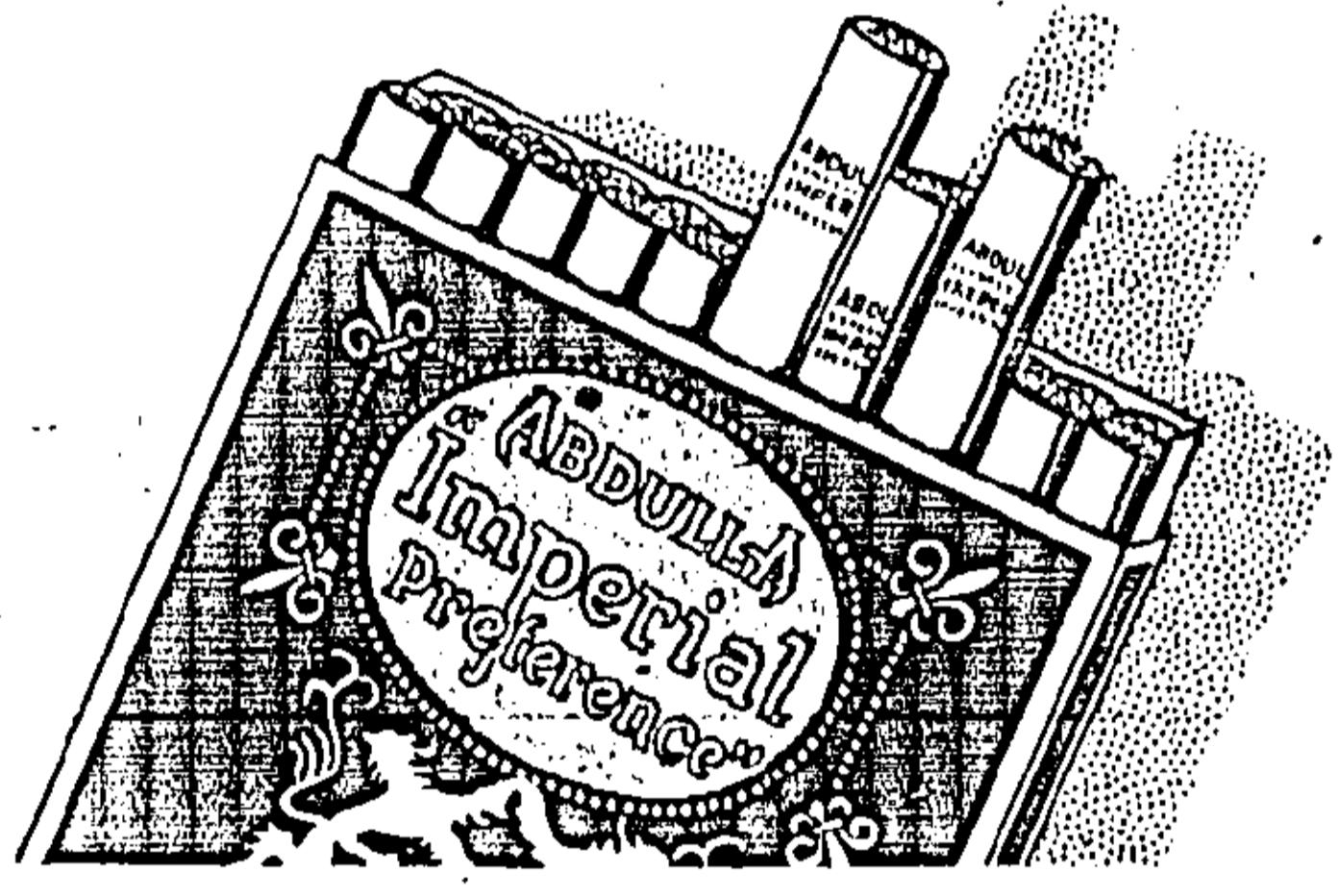


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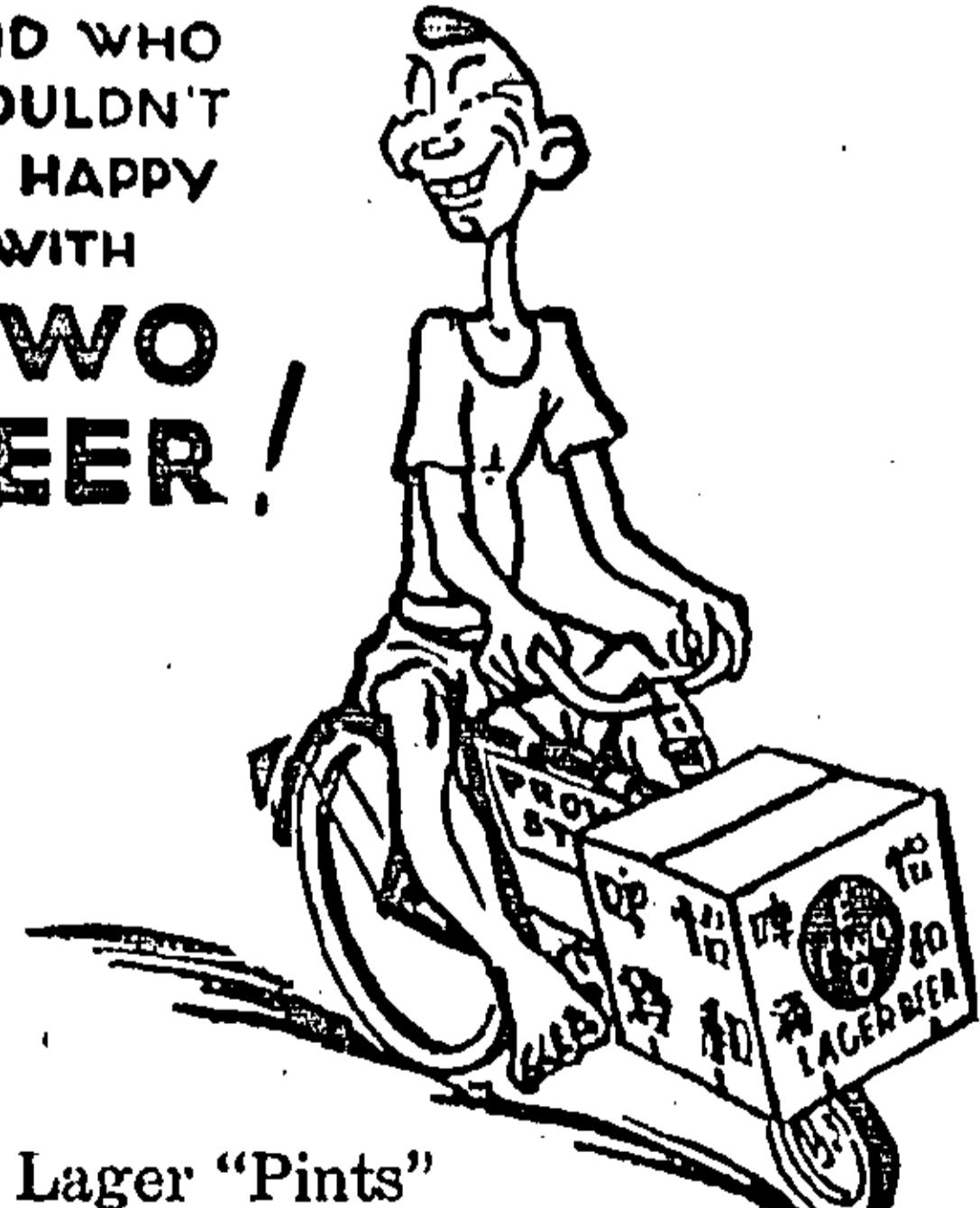
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## South China Beat Saigon 3-2 In Game Of Thrills

### HUGE CROWD SEE LOCAL CHAMPIONS TWICE IN ARREARS

ONE of the most thrilling football games seen for several years was witnessed yesterday when the visiting Saigon team lost their unbeaten record to South China Athletic Association by the odd goal in five after sharing two goals in their first encounter a week ago yesterday.

The Royal Naval Recreation Club ground at Causeway Bay was very nearly packed to capacity and the resulting scenes of enthusiasm which prevailed when South China twice equalised and when they subsequently secured the lead have never before been approached locally.

South China deserved their victory if only for the manner in which they clung on to their opportunities, but they had to fight every inch of the way against a team which would not admit defeat until the final whistle. Our Saigon visitors have certainly got the fighting spirit and even after they were finally being led they tried hard to lead the scores, and they came very near to doing so in three occasions in the closing stages.

The Saigon team made two changes from their line-up of last Saturday, and two which were to effect their play throughout the encounter. They dropped Bach from the intermediate line and brought in Paccini at left-half, and it was from this flank that South China's second and third goals resulted.

Quang was brought into the attack in place of Tien, and although he scored Saigon's opening goal, his approach methods and all-round utility was never in the same class as that of Tien, who played last Saturday.

Paccini's weakness at left-half left the biggest loophole in Saigon's defence, and in the second half, after a night fall of rain, this diminutive Frenchman found it difficult to regain South China's short passing and the slippery surface of the ground was too much for him, and although he did not stop trying to prevent Yeung Shuiyick from getting away, he was hopeless task.

#### LEFT WING DEMORALISED

This weakness inevitably led to the breakdown of the Saigon's left-wing attacking formation of Quang and Dai.

Quang is not built to take on the strain of being both defender and attacker, and in the second half was practically a passenger. Dai, on the left-wing, was very fast, but, beyond a few isolated instances, received little help from his wing-half and, after being badly winded in the opening stages, fell over badly. There were instances in the second half, however, when he could have helped by centring a trifl earlier, but Leung Wing-chiu and Mak Shui-hon proved too much of a handful.

Gulchard, on the right-wing, commenced in excellent form and was brilliant in patches, but he failed at the crucial stage of the game, the latter part of the second half, when he twice veered right when in possession and with only Tam Kwan-kong, the South China custodian, to beat, thereby throwing away two glorious opportunities of levelling the scores.

South China gave a much better performance on the whole than they did last Saturday. With Fung King-cheong at inside-right, the proper position, and Chan Tak-fai leading the attack, their forwards were always dangerous when in possession.

#### LAI'S PART IN VICTORY

Lai Shui-wing played his part in South China's victory in an inobtrusive manner. He dealt mainly with approach, leaving the scoring to Chan Tak-fai and Fung King-cheong.

South China's wingers were in excellent fettle yesterday. Yeung Shuiyick's nimbleness in retrieving and robbing his opponents resulted in two goals, while Lee Shek-yau contributed to South China's second goal. The latter could have made more of his opportunities, however, had he been a little more unselfish as he threw away several opportunities by trying to take the ball into the goal area through a crowd of players.

There was little to choose between the two defenders, Dai and Cui, because they covered each other in a superior manner. The South China backs relied to a great extent on their intermediate line, but Suligon's pair of backs carried the day in the opening half, when brilliant first-time clearances and neat interceptions left the South China attack floundering.

It was only in the second half, when Saigon's wing-halves were beginning to feel the strain, that South China broke through.

Buu, the Saigon pivot, once again distinguished himself with a glorious display. His accuracy in distribution was always present in spite of the slippery conditions, while he was invariably master of the situation in a scrapping duel. Had his openings been tapped up in the latter stages, Suligon would not have been wanting in goals.

**GOALKEEPER'S BRILLIANCE**  
Saigon has undoubtedly its captain and goalkeeper, Tinh, to thank for not being behind in the opening half. His two full-length saves were magnificently judged, and he gave a grand display. Tinh, however, is not an ideal type for a custodian. Although extremely alert on his feet and possessing a grand sense of anticipation, he is sadly lacking in inches, otherwise he would almost certainly have prevented Lee Shek-yau's goal.

South China must feel highly elated at the performance of their intermediate line, and especially their two wing-halves, Leung Wing-chiu and Tao Kam-hung. Lau Ting-choi was not at his best and appeared to be suffering from staleness.

Although Leung Wing-chiu can

### SAIGON XI'S RECORD HERE

Drew with S. China A. A. 1-1  
Beat H. K. F. Association 4-0  
Beat Royal Navy ..... 6-2  
Beat The Army ..... 3-0  
Lost to South China A. A. 2-3

**SOUTH CHINA EQUALISE**  
Dinner fell on the Saigon team in the 11th minute of the second half, when Cui was robbed of a ball, which he had retrieved from going behind by Yeung Shuiyick, who swung the ball into the goal-area for LEE SHEK-YAU to snap it up and crush in a perfect shot to level the scores.

The equaliser inspired South China to new life and in the 17th FUNG KING-CHEONG gave South China

victory when Yeung Shuiyick robbed an opponent to lob the ball over

the Saigon goal, Lai Shui-wing nodding the ball to Fung, who, from an unmarked position at two yards

range, scored with a terrific drive.

The last minutes were fraught

with excitement as time and again

Buu took the ball down and slipped

the ball through for grand openings

which the visiting forwards were un-

able to make use of, and the final

whistle blew to give South China vic-

tory by the odd goal in five.

The game was a remarkably clean

one and excellently controlled by the

referee and two linesmen.

Son Chiu, Tam Kwan-kong, Tam Kwan-

ken; Mak Shui-hon and Lee Tin-

king; Leung Wing-chiu, Lau Ting-

chow and Tao Kam-hung; Young Shui-

yick, Fung King-cheong, Chan Tak-

fai, Lai Shui-wing and Lee Shek-

yau.

SAIGON: — Tinh; Duoc and Cui;

Ven, Buu and Paccini; Gulchard,

Van, Tot, Quang and Dai.

**Tribute Paid Late**  
Mr. Tsang Iu-ting

Just before the start of the game, the two teams lined up in the centre of the field facing each other and together with the Referee and linesmen stood in silence for two minutes in memory of Mr. Tsang Iu-ting, who passed away a few days ago and who was buried yesterday.

The late Mr. Tsang Iu-ting was for many years President of the South China Athletic Association and was the main sponsor of the South China Free School before it was taken over by the Association. Lately he was an honorary Vice-President of the Association.

Players of both teams wore a black band on their left arms as a mark of respect, while the South China A. A. flag was flown at half-mast over the grand-stand.

by two runs with every prospect of

tying the score as the heavy batsmen were waiting, but Loong was out at second in attempting to steal the base.

Detailed scores are as follows:

	INDIANS	R.	H.	E.
Nazarin	0	1	1	1
Kitchell	3	0	0	2
Hussain	1	0	0	0
A. R. Abbas	1	0	0	0
M. el Arculli	0	0	0	0
Hamet	0	0	0	0
O. el Arculli	0	0	0	0
A. K. Omar	0	0	0	0
A. M. Abbas	0	0	0	0
	6	2	3	

	VOLUNTEERS	R.	H.	E.
Fung	1	0	0	0
G. Souza	0	0	0	0
T. Ali	1	1	0	0
D. Leonard	1	1	0	1
Loong	0	1	0	0
H. Sa	0	0	0	0
Bowen	0	2	0	0
N. Leonard	1	0	0	0
H. Wingled	0	1	0	0
	4	6	2	

Base on balls:—Bowen 7, Leonard 2, Arculli 2, Strike-outs:—Bowen 2, Arculli 2 and Leonard 4.

Three-base hits:—Bowen.

Two-base hits:—Wingled and Loong.

Score by innings:—

Indians

1 2 3 4 5 6 7

1 0 3 0 0 0 1=5 runs

1 0 0 0 0 0 1=2 hits

Volunteers

1 0 1 1 0 1 2=4 runs

1 0 1 1 0 1 2=6 hits

LEAGUE TABLE TO DATE

	P.	W.	L.	Per Cent.
Indians	2	2	0	1.000
Chinese	3	2	1	0.666
Mindanao	6	3	3	0.500
Recr. 1	3	1	2	0.500
H.K.C.C.	3	1	2	0.333
Volunteers	2	0	2	0.000

Two Games To-day.

Weather permitting, further pro-

gress will be made in the local base-

ball League when two games will

be decided this morning. The first

game, between U.S. Mindanao and

Hong Kong Baseball Club will start

at 9 a.m. and will be followed by

that between Chinese Baseball Club

and Recr. 1.

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IT'S AN ANNUAL MATCH. MAINLY BECAUSE IT TAKES THEM A YEAR

TO GET OVER IT.

FUNG KING-CHEONG HAD THE WHISTLE, BUT SEVERAL OF THE REFEREES

WOULD HAVE LIKED TO HELP.

NEITHER DID THE OTHER SPECTATOR.

THE GAME STARTED AT A FAST PACE BUT THE SUN —

IN FACT IT WAS SO HOT THAT SOME OF THE REFEREES

THEN THE PRESS RETALIATED BY TURNING MOHAMMEDAN!

INTRODUCED SOME STARTLING HAT FASHIONS

— SOON PUT A STOP TO THAT.

— AND SO WE CALLED IT A DRAW. *Mauray*

## ON THE AIR TO-NIGHT

## Marek Weber's Orchestra

10-11 a.m.—Relay of Morning Service from St. Joseph's Church.

11 a.m.-12.15 p.m.—Relay of Morning Service from St. Paul's Church (Chinese).

12.15 p.m.—Compositions of John Sebastian Bach.

1.03 p.m.—Hubert Eisell (Tenor) & Light Symphony Orchestra.

1.30 p.m.—Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.40 p.m.—Gounod—"Faust"—Acts I & II.

2.30 p.m.—Close down.

7 p.m.—Debussy Compositions.

The Children's Corner Suite; Dr. Grus ad Parvam; The Snow is Dancing; Serenade For The Doll; Jumbo's Lullaby; The Little Shepherd; Goliwog's Cake Walk.... Walter Gieseking (Piano Solo).

"Dances": 1. Danse Sacree; 2. Danse Profane.... Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra.

Etude XI Pour Les Arpèges Compos.... Vladimir Horowitz (Piano).

Pokson D'or ("Images"—Set 2 No. 3).... Walter Gieseking (Piano Solo).

Minuet.... Joseph Szigeti (Violin Solo) Kurt Ruhraitz at the Piano.

7.40 p.m.—Choral. Legend (Christ In His Garden—Tchaikovsky).... Royal Choral Society cond. by Dr. Malcolm Sargent.

Lift Up Your Heads ("The Messiah"—Handel).

Worthy Is The Lamb ("The Messiah"—Handel).... The Royal Choral Society accomp. by The Royal Albert Hall Orchestra, Organist: R. Arnold Greir, Conductor: H. L. Balfour.

Messiah (Handel).

Chorus: Let Us Break Their Bonds.... Harold Williams and The H.B.C. Choir.

Hallelujah Chorus.... The B.B.C. Choir with Orchestra & Organ, conducted by Sir Thomas Beecham.

8 p.m.—Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

8.03 p.m.—Yehudi Menuhin (Violin).

8.17 p.m.—Marek Weber & His Orchestra with Richard Crooks (Tenor).

Puccini—Potpourri.... Orchestra.

Columbine's Rendezvous (Heyken).

Song Of Paradise (Reginald King).

Orchestra.

Springtime Reminds Me Of You (Rotter & Jurnani).

My Sunshine Is You (Stolz).

Richard Crooks.

Tiny Tot (Fisher, Letter).

Waltz (Duranil).... Orchestra.

Garden Of Happiness (Lockton—Wood).

Arise O Sun (Lockton—Day).

Richard Crooks.

In The Temple Of The Bell (Study From Peking—Yoshimoto).

Chinese Fairy Tales — Character Sketch (Dreyer, arr. Yoshimoto).

Orchestra.

Suite Orientale (Poppy): 1. Les Baudrures; 2. Au Bord du Gange;

3. Les Almées; 4. Patrouille.

Orchestra.

9.09 p.m.—Schubert—Duo For Piano

And Violin In A Major, Op. 162.

Played by Sergei Rachmaninoff (Piano) and Fritz Kreisler (Violin).

9.30 p.m.—Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

10.40 p.m.—Rubinstein Playing Chopin.

Nocturne In D Flat Major, Op. 27, No. 2.

Polonaise No. 5 In F Sharp Minor (Fis Moll), Op. 44.

Nocturne In G Minor, Op. 27, No. 1.

10.40 p.m.—Organ Music.

Fantasia In F Minor (Mozart).

G. D. Cunningham (Organ Solo).

10.40 p.m.—Studio—Sunday Evening Epilogue: Rev. J. Sandbach on John Wanley's Bi-Centenary.

10.30 p.m.—Close down.

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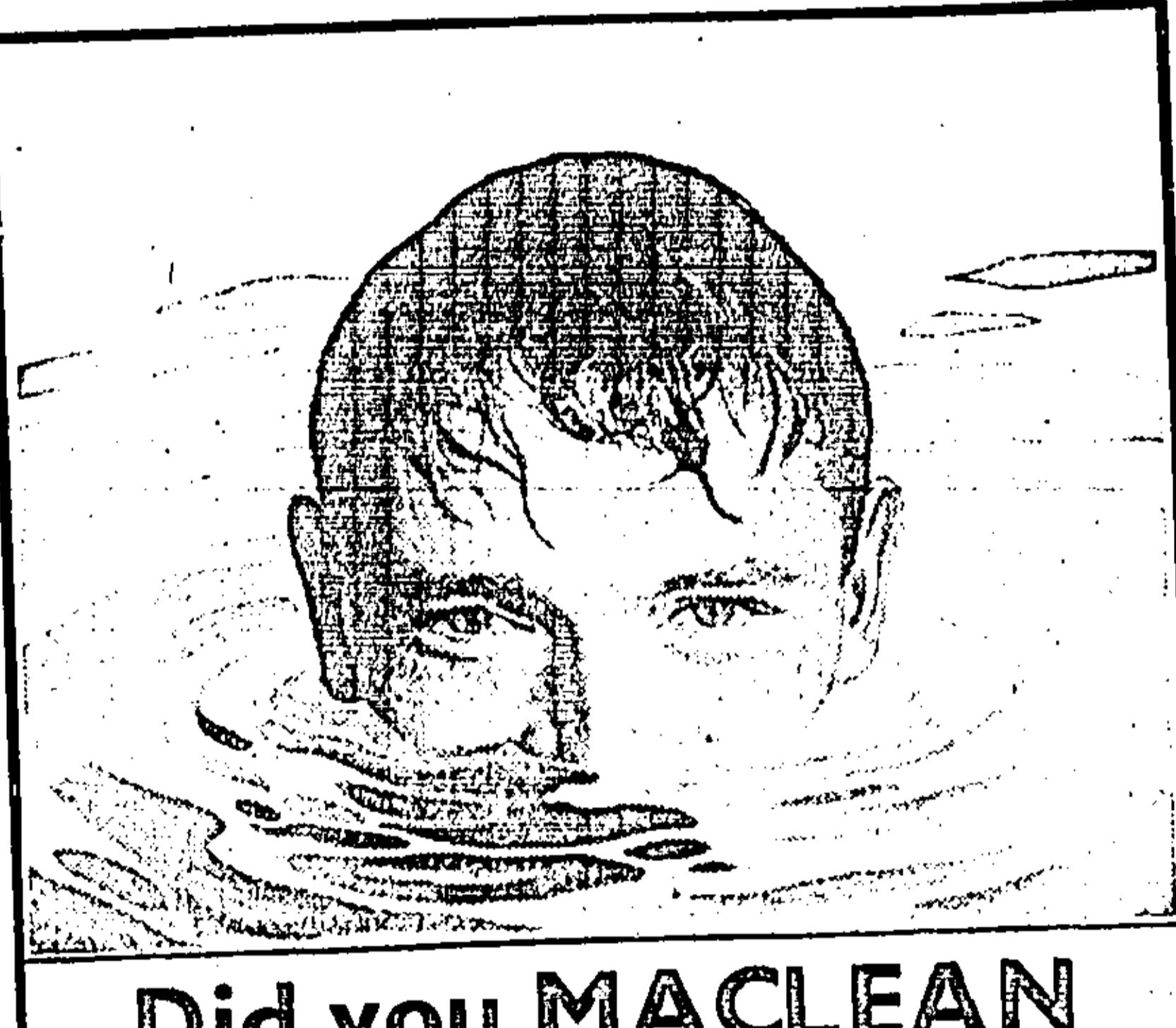
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Situated in an ideal spot with adequate bathing facilities within easy reach of town, the new club was gaily decorated for the occasion and was filled with representatives of all sections of the Indian community.

In the course of the speeches, Mr. K. B. Vaidya, of the "Canton Daily Sun," while commanding the enterprise of those responsible for the new club, appealed for a Central Indian Cultural Association which would cater to all the various units within the Indian community and thus fill a much-needed want.

**COST APPROXIMATELY \$7,000**

Mr. H. S. Rathour, Hon. Secretary of the new club, said in part:

"This, I should say, is the first Indian Bathing Club in this Colony, and I earnestly extend my invitation to all sections of the Indian community for their support and maintenance by becoming members and senior members of this club. They are always welcome. I must frankly say that the doors of other bathing clubs were closed to us and that the necessity to have one of our own could no longer be ignored. The necessity might not be so acutely felt by the well-to-do people who go to Repulse Bay or other bays, but it is by the less fortunate and poor people like myself who have found it too expensive and cannot afford it."

"This small pavilion costs us approximately \$7,000, and I regret very much to say that deserving enthusiasm has not been so fully shown by the community, and the fact that the Club is under debt to an extent of \$2,500 will substantiate this statement. I feel especially thankful to our members Dr. Naidu, Mr. P. Vaawan and Mr. Gurbachan for advancing this amount of \$2,500. At the same time, I must thank all the donors for their contributions to this pavilion. Now I would like to appeal to the generosity of our community to donate as much as they can towards the Pavillion Fund to meet this deficit."

Mr. A. el Arculli, Mr. Vaidya and Mr. Seth-Amritalal also spoke. The following were among those who attended:—The Hon. Mr. T. H. King and Mrs. King, Mr. Badan Singh, Mr. Rathour, Hon. Secretary, and Mrs. Rathour, Messrs. Jenkins and Nash, of "Cable and Wireless," Mr. Johnston, Mr. K. B. Vaidya, Mr. Seth-Amritalal, Mr. A. el Arculli, Mr. Isher Singh, Hon. Treasurer and Mr. Gurbachan Singh.

# POLICE CHECK K.C.C. WINNING SEQUENCE

## YESTERDAY'S BOWLS AT A GLANCE

**FIRST DIVISION**  
Kowloon C. C. .... (60) 55 Police R. C. .... (45) 60  
Club de Recreio .... (58) 62 Kowloon B. G. C. .... (57) 57

**SECOND DIVISION**

Kowloon B. G. C. .... (63) 52 Club de Recreio .... (65) 56

**THIRD DIVISION**

Club de Recreio .... (—) 57 Kowloon C. C. .... (—) 76

Figures in brackets denote scores in corresponding game last year.

## BOWLS LEAGUE TABLES TO DATE

**First Division**

	P.	W.	L.	D.	For	Agst.	Up	Down	Pts.
Craigengower C.C.	3	0	221	142	79	0	6	6	6
Indian R.C.	3	0	193	155	38	0	6	6	6
Kowloon Cricket Club	4	2	239	227	12	0	4	4	4
Club de Recreio	4	2	218	223	0	5	4	4	4
Police R.C.	4	2	222	250	0	3	2	2	2
Kowloon Dock R.C.	3	1	0	168	171	0	3	2	2
Kowloon B.G.C.	4	1	0	211	229	0	18	20	20
Civil Service C.C.	3	0	122	187	0	65	0	0	0
Totals	28	14	14	0	1594	1594	129	129	28

**Second Division**

	P.	W.	L.	D.	For	Agst.	Up	Down	Pts.
Football Club "A"	3	2	0	207	152	55	0	4	4
Craigengower C.C.	3	2	0	200	169	31	0	4	4
Police R.C.	3	2	1	192	172	20	0	4	4
Club de Recreio	4	2	0	230	223	7	0	4	4
Kowloon B.G.C.	4	2	0	238	238	0	0	4	4
Kowloon Dock R.C.	3	1	2	0	173	191	0	18	2
Civil Service C.C.	3	1	2	0	173	194	0	21	2
Football Club "B"	3	1	2	0	141	215	0	74	2
Totals	26	13	13	0	1554	1554	113	113	26

**Third Division**

	P.	W.	L.	D.	For	Agst.	Up	Down	Pts.
Kowloon Football Club	3	3	0	176	156	22	0	4	4
H.K. Electric R.C.	3	2	1	0	193	159	34	0	4
Kowloon Tong G.C.A.	3	2	1	0	187	164	23	0	4
Football Club	4	2	1	0	165	185	0	20	4
Football Cricket Club	4	2	0	251	212	39	0	4	4
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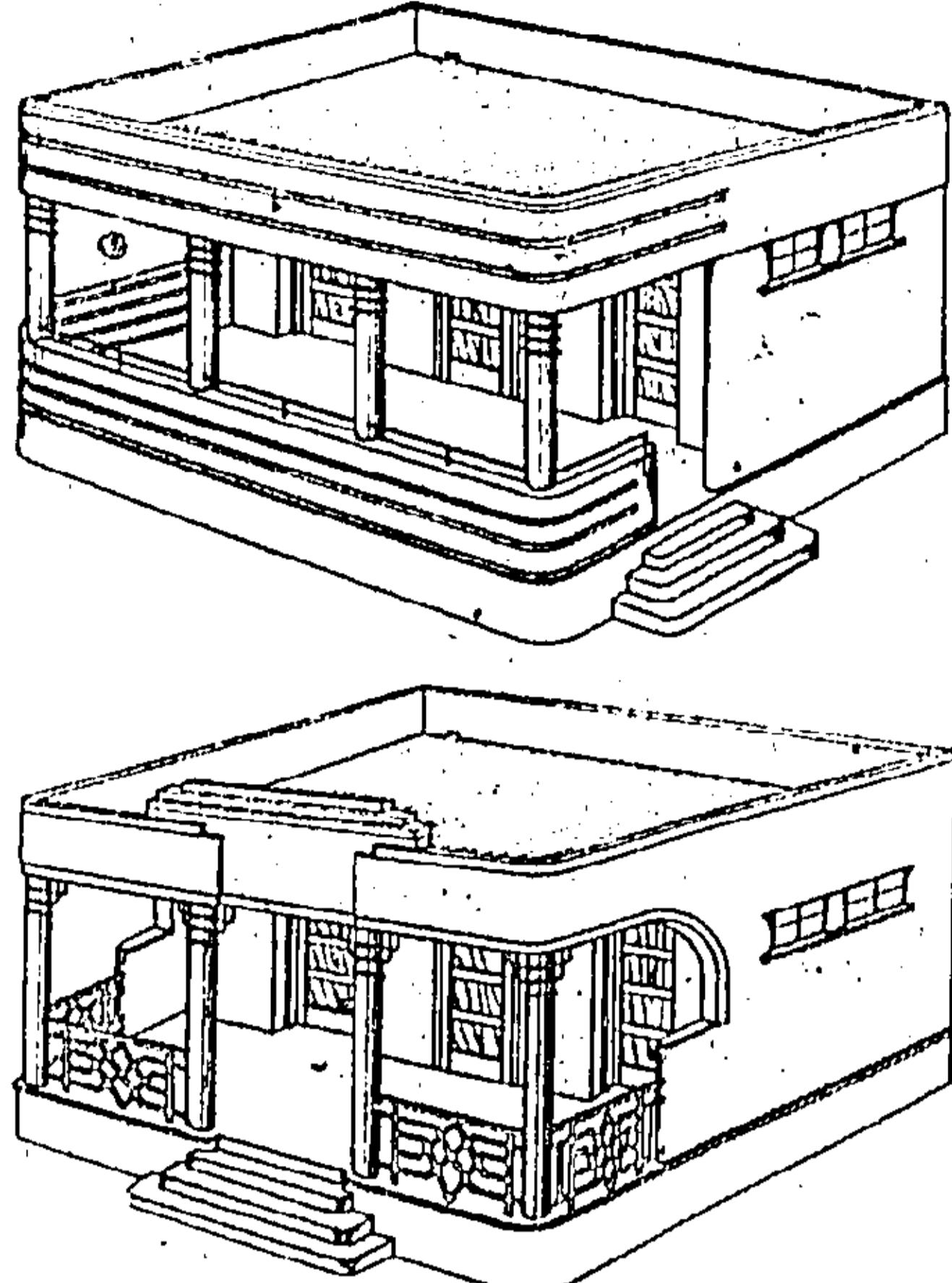
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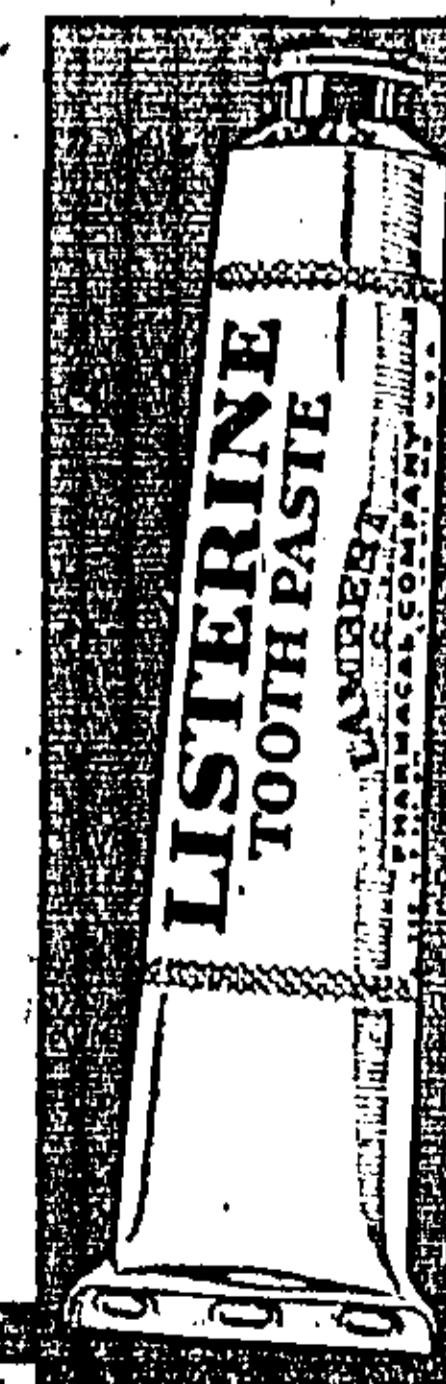


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### SHORT STORY

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It was in the winter that the first faint breeze of unrest ruffled the placidity of the sleepy hamlet; in the winter, when a keen wind from the east sweeping over the down drove all sensible screaming folk within doors to crouch over their roaring hearths. The trouble arose from the vicar's dishonesty in the matter of his azaleas.

The vicar of Upper Screaming, the Rev. Sebastian Crake, was a keen gardener. So also was his near neighbour, Brigadier-General Pennyfather-Owen, of Upper Screaming Lodge, and between the two there had sprung up a healthy rivalry which in no way impaired the friendliness of their relations.

When it became known in the village that the vicar's nephew, Oswald Crake, a newly ordained curate in training for the mission field, had got into the habit of visiting the cinema in Swindon in company with the general's lovely daughter, Daphne, it was pretty generally felt that the seal was about to be set to a very beautiful friendship. Then came the affair of the azaleas, and the dove of peace fled screaming from its cote.

It so happened that the previous summer months had been one long succession of triumphs for the general. His tulips, his delphiniums and lupins, his gladioli, his schizanthus and his asters had all flourished exceedingly, while those of his rival had not. This is the only excuse we can find for the Rev. Sebastian's deplorable conduct.

On a mild morning in December—Christmas Eve, to be exact—the telephone bell rang in General Pennyfather-Owen's library.

"Hello, hello!" the general bellowed. "Eh, what's that? Cake? No, dammit, I didn't order any cake. I don't eat cake! Oh! Crake? I'm sorry, my dear fellow, I didn't catch what you said. Yes, yes; what's that? Something in the garden to show me? I'll come over at once. There's nothing in my confounded garden except earth and worms."

Five minutes later the Rev. Sebastian Crake was eagerly dragging his visitor in the direction of the narrow border at the lower end of the vicarage croquet lawn. Arrived there, he pointed with a triumphant gesture to a bank of gorgeously flowering shrubs.

General Pennyfather-Owen screwed his monocle into his eye and glared savagely at the brilliant display. Then his jaw dropped, and he stood staring, glassy-eyed.

"Azaleas, by gad!" he gasped. "Azaleas, out of doors, in the middle of winter! And I can't get the damned things to grow at any time of the year. It's not for want of mulchin' and manurin' and puttin' in peat, either. How the devil—beg pardon, how the deuce—did you do it?"

The vicar felt himself amply compensated for the failures of the precious summer, and a warm glow of self-satisfaction crept over him. "Ah," he said coyly, wagging a mysterious finger, "that would be telling."

The general, who was prodding the earth round the roots of the azaleas with the ferrule of his stick, forbore to question him further. Suddenly he gave a hoarse cry, and started back as if he had been stung by an adder.

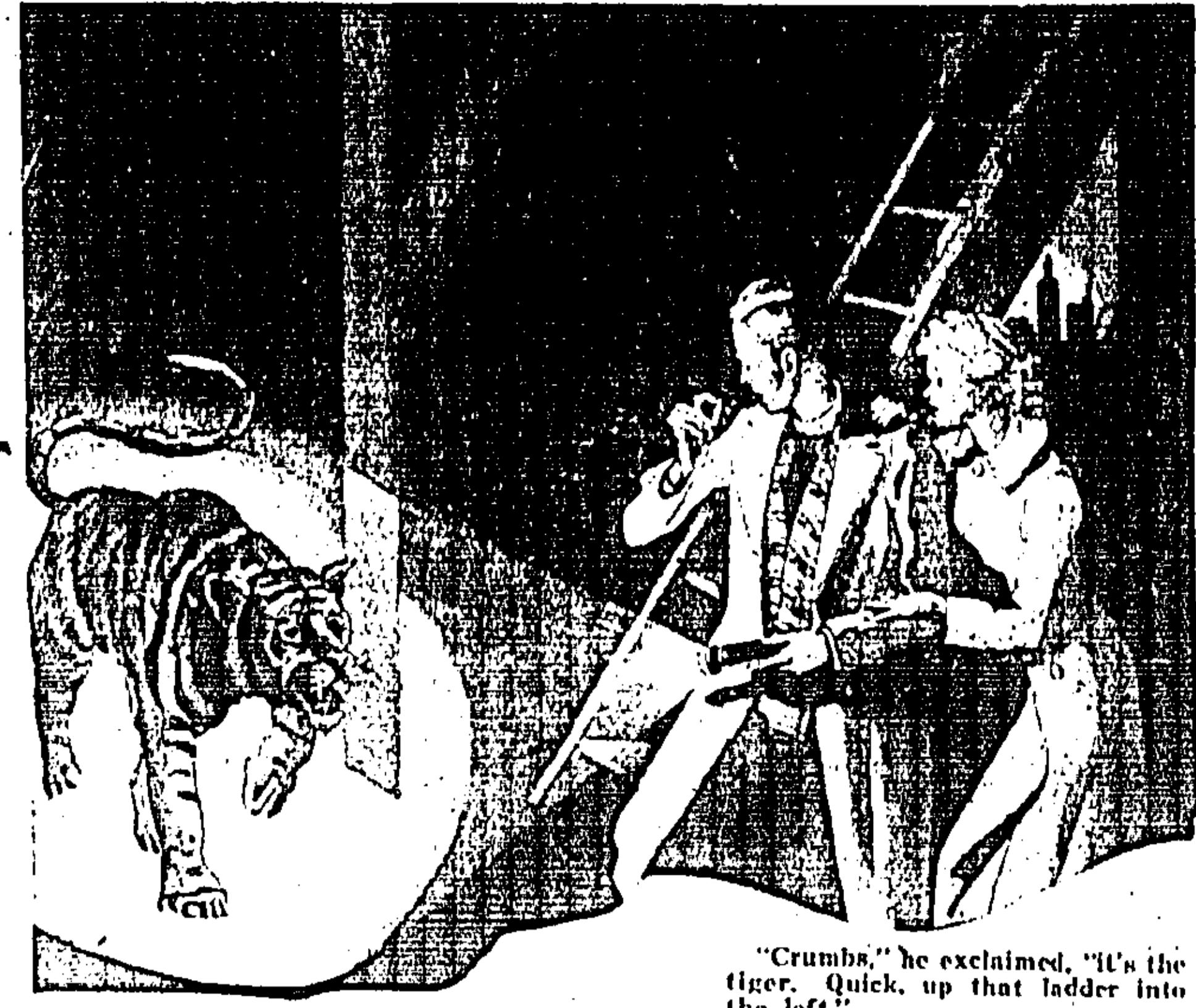
"Flower pots, by the Great Mogul!" he exclaimed. "Confound it, air, you've been cheatin', that's what you've been doin', and I'll take care everybody knows it! Growin' the plants under glass in a hothouse, and buryin' the pots before I came round. Upon my word, you ought to be horse-whipped, sir, horse-whipped; and I'd do it myself if it wasn't for your cloth!"

The vicar, who had not foreseen the shattering effect of his little deception, recoiled in terror. "B—but my dear general," he stammered, "there was no intention to deceive. Surely I may keep my azaleas in their pots if I so desire?"

"Then why bury 'em? Why bury 'em, sir? Tell me that," barked the general. "If you didn't mean to cheat, why did you cover up the pots? No, don't attempt to deny it, you were tryin' to throw dust in my eyes, and you a parson, too! Azaleas indeed! Out of doors in winter! Pshaw!"

And the incensed warrior stalked away across the lawn in the

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"Crumps," he exclaimed. "It's the tiger. Quick, up that ladder into the loft."

## Compromising Daphne

in a threatening attitude upon his daughter's suitor. "Is everybody in league to drive me crazy? First of all, your uncle tries to take me in with the most abominable swindle; then Parker runs out of whisky; and now you have the infernal crust to come and tell me you want to marry my daughter! And how do you propose to support her if you do marry her, eh? What do you do for a livin'? You're some sort of a parson, I can see that, but what do you do?"

"Well, sir," stammered the young man, "I'm training at present for the mission field. In a few months' time I hope to be sent out to Africa as a missionary."

"Tchuh!" the general snorted with disgust. "Cannibal fodder, that's what you are, sir; cannibal fodder! And do you suggest that Parker, rattled, perhaps, by the news of the tiger, had allowed the whisky supply to run out?"

"Daddy," said his daughter with her most saccharine tones, "Mr. Crake has something to say to you."

"Has he, by thunder?" bellowed the general.

Oswald Crake passed his tongue across parched lips, then valiantly took the plunge.

"—I came to tell you, sir, that I love your daughter, and would like very much to marry her."

"Ten thousand polecats!" The general leaped from his chair and advanced

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## COMPROMISING DAPHNE

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As for the money; I know Oswald won't get very much at first, but later on, when he becomes Archbishop of Canterbury, we shall be all right, and in the meantime, well, we love each other."

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But General Pennyfather-Owen had already been tried too high. He snatched up a heavy hunting-crop that lay on his writing-table, and towered over the luckless Oswald.

"Get out of my sight, do you hear?" he thundered. "Get out, before I cut you into ribbons and throw the bits to the crocodiles! Archbishop of Canterbury, indeed! I'll give you archbishop!"

It is possible that young Oswald might have stood his ground, for he was not by any means a coward, but Daphne, who knew her father's insatiable temper, took him by the arm and drew him from the room. Outside the front gate they held a hurried council of war.

"That's torn it," said Oswald. "For some reason which I am unable to fathom, your old man has conceived a violent dislike to me. What does A do now?"

"There's only one thing to be done," answered Daphne, thoughtfully. "You'll have to compromise me."

"Compromise you? But, darling, I—"

"Yea, compromise me. We must be found together in a compromising situation. Then he'll have to let us get married."

It is time to pause for a moment and examine the activities of Jellicoe, the escaped menagerie tiger. He was a very old tiger, born in captivity a good many years before this story opens, and had never been known to hurt any living creature. It had, indeed, never occurred to him to adopt a hostile attitude towards the human race, whose benevolence kept him supplied with a daily ration of meat, provided him with comfortable living quarters and transported him from place to place with the minimum of fatigue. Besides, he was a martyr to asthma, an affliction calculated to knock the stuffing out of the fiercest tiger in the Natural History Museum.

His escape on the morning of Christmas Eve was due to idle curiosity coupled with the over-liberal potations of his keeper, who, having embarked on a premature celebration of the festive season had neglected to secure the fastenings of Jellicoe's cage. Jellicoe, discovering the omission, slipped out to see the world, a treat he had long promised himself, but which so far he had been unable to enjoy.

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When he awoke, night and the temperature, had fallen, and Jellicoe, chilled to the marrow, decided it was time to move on. A wheezy sensation in his chest warned him that he was in for a bad go of asthma, the sheep he had eaten had given him violent indigestion, and he wished for nothing better than to regain the warmth and comfort of his cage. He stood up, stretched himself, and looked around him.

Just ahead of him was a large building, from whose half-open door there stole out a faint ray of light. Voices, speaking in low tones, apprised him of the presence of human beings, and Jellicoe plucked up courage. Where there were human beings there might be food. He shambled forward and poked his head in at the doorway.

The Vicar was genuinely alarmed.

"Dear me," he said. "This is dreadful, quite dreadful. I'm certain Oswald would never do a thing like that, but he isn't here. You don't think, perhaps the tiger—?"

"By gad, Crake, I never thought of that. We must form a search party at once. You get hold of the sexton and anybody else you can raise, and I'll join you in a brace of shanks. No, don't you come to me; I've got an elephant ride; you wait till I come to you."

Ten minutes later a search party, consisting of General Pennyfather-Owen, the Rev. Sebastian Crake, the sexton, and Parker, the general's manservant, set out from the vicarage carrying hurricane lamps.

Just before dawn the party was joined by a couple of keepers from the menagerie, who had been patiently and with some difficulty following Jellicoe's spoor in the mud; thus it came about that sunrise found the party in the vicinity of the Red Barn.

Daphne and Oswald had spent a miserable night in the loft.

It was with a whoop of joy, therefore, that Oswald Crake, leaning out of the window in the early morning, halted the approach of the search-party. Simultaneously Jellicoe awoke, serenaded to his feet, and lumbered sleepily out into the daylight. Here he was easily recaptured by his keeper, whom he was unfeignedly thankful to see.

Daphne and Oswald climbed down from the loft, and confronted General Pennyfather-Owen and the vicar.

"Crumbs!" he exclaimed. "It's the tiger!" He looked wildly round him. "Quick, darling, up that ladder into the loft. I'll keep him at bay till you're safe."

Daphne had turned very white, but her habitual calm had not forsaken her.

"The tiger was there, too, Dad."

"I won't go unless you come dy," explained Daphne.

"Good Gad, girl. Don't make you're to be eaten, let us both be eaten together."

"Oh, daddy," gasped Daphne in delight, "am I compromised? How perfectly splendid! Now we'll have to get married, won't we?"

General Pennyfather-Owen looked across at the bedraggled figure of the vicar, and a ghastly grin spread slowly over his rugged features.

"What about it, Crake, eh?" he said. "Have to let the young people have their way, what?"

The vicar nodded.

"For my part I have no objections to the match," he said.

General Pennyfather-Owen looked round him; at Parker and the sexton, who stood a little way apart; at Oswald Crake, who was pressing a ten-shilling note into the hand of Jellicoe's keeper; and at his own daughter, who was gently stroking the top of the tiger's head. Then he laughed, to number.

"Christmas Day," he said. From their refuge in the loft Daphne and Oswald gazed down at Crake, you and that young rascal through a trapdoor at the striped of a nephew of yours, and we'll celebrate the engagement. Afterwards I'll come and help you get those azaleas back into the greenhouse. We're in for a frost, if I'm not very much mistaken, and you'll lose every plant if you leave 'em where they are. Hell's gizzard, Parker, what are you

"Darling, what are we to do?" The young man flashed his torch doin', standin' gogglin' there? Got round the empty loft.

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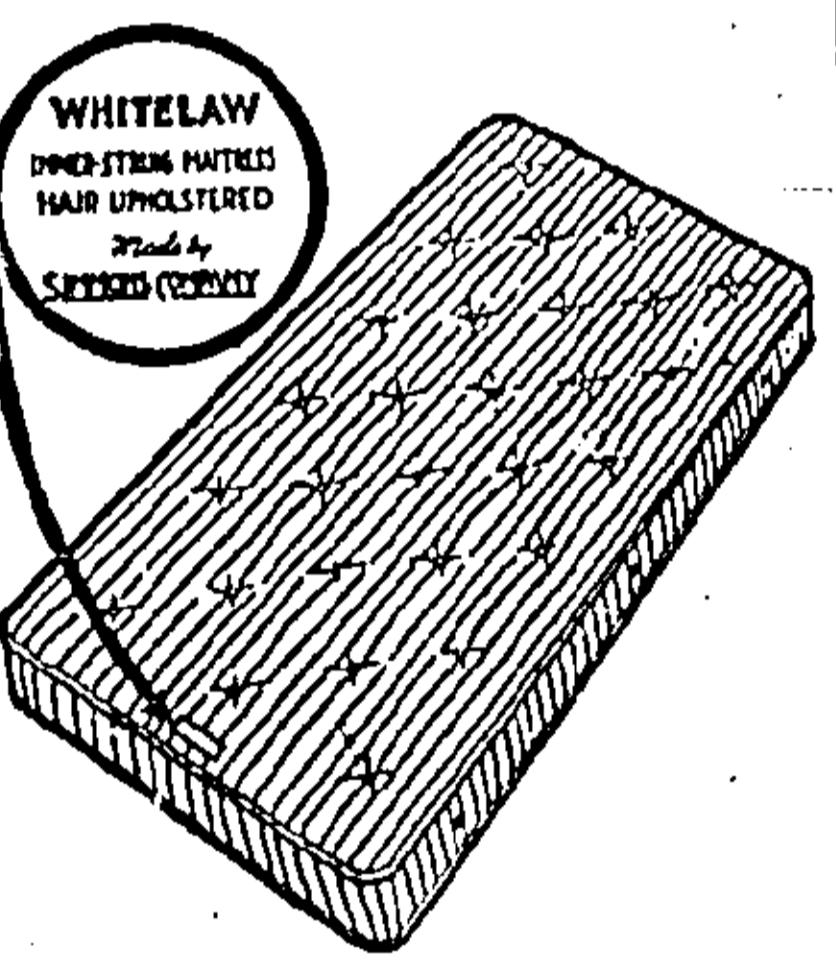
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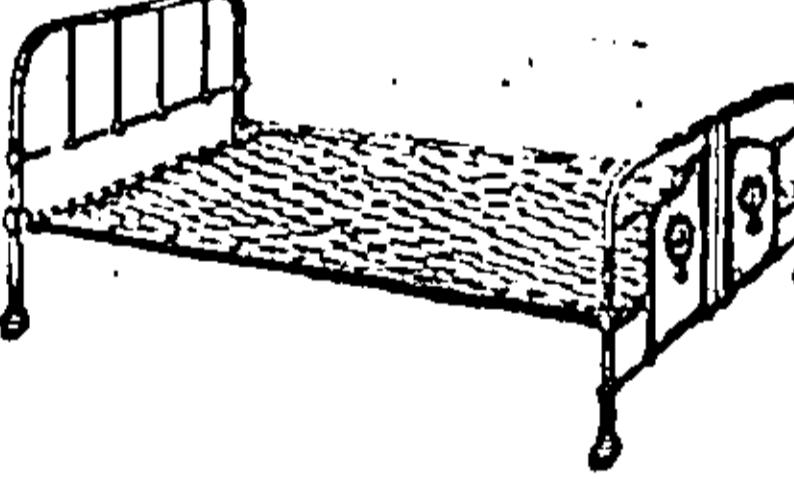
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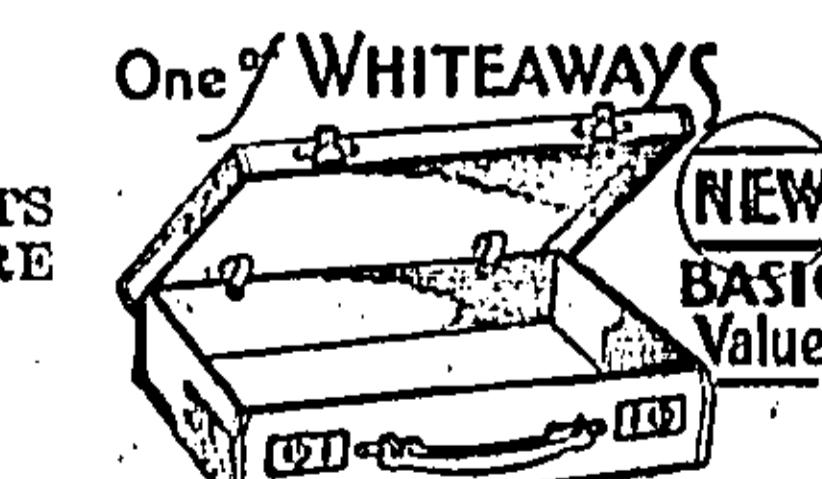
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Hankow, Yesterday.  
Evacuation of Hsachowfu was officially confirmed in Chinese circles here to-day.  
In the official announcement it is pointed out that "since the Chinese aim is protracted hostilities, there was no point in defending Hsachowfu at the cost of unnecessary sacrifice."  
The Chinese Command therefore ordered evacuation of the city on the night of Thursday, withdrawing the Chinese troops defending the city to undisclosed positions."

While the Chinese military authorities refuse to divulge details of the withdrawal, it is practically certain that the Chinese forces must have been withdrawn eastwards since the areas north, south and west of the Lunghai Railway are in Japanese hands. The widest speculation is being aroused among observers here by the fact that the Chinese forces in the Hsachowfu area were not withdrawn westward when the Lunghai Railway west of the city was threatened.

Speculation has also been aroused by the fact that the Chinese Command shows practically no anxiety concerning the Chinese forces at present trapped east of Hsachowfu.

Chinese circles here are anxiously watching developments on the Hsachow front during the next few days, in order to find out just what the Chinese forces east of Hsachow intend to do.

The Japanese forces, after cutting the Lunghai Railway in the vicinity of Lashuang and Yifeng, east of Lanfeng, are said to be pushing westwards towards the city.

KEY CITY  
Lanfeng is generally considered to be the key city in Honan on the Lunghai Railway. If this important strategic position falls, Kaifeng, which is the capital of Honan, cannot be held, it is thought in Chinese circles.

The Chinese forces on the Lunghai Railway, it is considered, would in this instance be compelled to fall back in the direction of Chengchow, about 50 miles west of Kalfeng.

The situation at Lanfeng at one time was most critical, when one division of Japanese troops was used to attack the city.

The timely arrival of Chinese reinforcements, and also a severe counter-attack by a strong detachment of Chinese troops, preceded by heavy tanks, saved the situation, according to Chinese reports. — Reuter.

It would also free them from responsibility for assets seized, confiscated, destroyed or impaired by the action of foreign countries. — Reuter.

London, Yesterday.  
The Times' Hendaye correspondent stresses that war material shipments for Spain are allowed to pass through France unmolested.

The influence of foreign volunteers is likewise greatly increased, according to the Times.

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ENGAGEMENT  
The engagement is announced of Mr. Vincent M. Bonwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bonwell of Warwicksire and Miss Kathleen Winch, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Winch of Hong Kong.

Police reports from Kumamoto and Miyazaki, in southern Kyushu, admit that one "mystery plane" of unknown nationality appeared over Kuamamoto and Miyazaki prefectures at about 4 o'clock yesterday morning. The plane, according to these reports, flew along the Kuma River and dropped leaflets containing anti-war literature over the mountains in this region.

#### NO FURTHER TROUBLE IN SZECHUAN

Chengtu, Yesterday.  
All possibility of future trouble in Szechuan has been virtually eliminated as result of the Government's success in persuading the two powerful Szechuan warlords, General Chow Chi-nu, brother-in-law of the late General Liu Hsiang, and General Liu Shu-chen, to collaborate more closely with the Government.

Accompanied by General Wu Ting-ho, who is the trusted henchman of General Chiang Kai-shek, both General Chow and General Liu have left by air for Hankow.

Although both these military officers were only brigadiers in the Szechuan provincial army, they actually wielded much greater power than their ranks implied. They commanded the pick of Gen. Liu Hsiang's army and had control of all war materials by virtue of their connections with the late Governor's family. — Reuter.

#### BANK ESCAPE BILL

Washington, Yesterday.  
Understood to have been drafted in view of possible developments in China and Spain, a Bill

for the protection of branches of United States banks abroad, has been introduced by Senator Wagner.

The measure, which is favoured by the big banks here, owing to the desire to avoid a situation similar to that after the Russian confiscation of American funds in 1917, would allow foreign branches to suspend operations at any time.

It would also free them from responsibility for assets seized, confiscated, destroyed or impaired by the action of foreign countries. — Reuter.

#### JAPAN'S RED CROSS LEADER

Shanghai, Yesterday.  
Prince Iyesato Tokugawa, Presi-

dent of the Japanese Red Cross Society, left Yokohama to-day on board the "Empress of Russia" for London, according to an official Japanese report.

He will attend the International

The leaflets, the reports state, included appeals to farmers, workers and tradesmen of Japan from the so-called "Farmers' Association," the Federation of Trade Unions, the Federation of Chambers of Commerce and the Foreign Affairs' Association of China.

No Japanese plane is reported to have flown over this part of Kyushu early yesterday morning, and officials therefore believe that the pamphlets must have been dropped by a Chinese plane.

#### CHINESE CLAIM

The Chinese claim that the Chinese planes flew over Sasebo, Nagasaki, Kobe and Osaka.

None of the inhabitants of

these four cities, including foreigners, sighted a Chinese bomber nor was any leaflet claimed to have been dropped by Chinese planes, found in the vicinity.

#### DELAY IN CONFIRMATION

The delay in confirming the visit of the Chinese plane (Japanese reports state only one plane was sighted, although Chinese reports claim that two took part in the raid) is attributed to the fact that press and

official reports from Kyushu were delayed owing to the mystery plane over the mountainous regions in southern Kyushu.

The leaflets dropped by the plane, it is stated, remained on the ground for a long time before they were noticed. — Reuter.

#### COOK'S FALSE STORY TO POLICE

Washington, Yesterday.  
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On Friday night he was given \$40 to settle his accounts. The next morning he visited the police station and reported that on the previous night at about 11 o'clock when in Sasebo he was attacked by four men, two of whom were armed with knives, and robbed of \$87.05, after he had been bound and gagged.

The Police were suspicious of his story and it was found that defendant had got a friend to tie his hands behind his back and gag him. He had walked home, where he was unbound. The \$40 was given to his younger brother earlier in the evening. Defendant had endeavoured to evade payment for goods he had obtained on credit.

This is the highest honour the University can bestow, and to non-members is sparingly awarded.

Few foreign Ambassadors have ever had it conferred on them, and Dr. Quo is the first Chinese to receive it.

The honour can be regarded not only as a mark of sympathy with China in her sore trial but a sign of the wide respect and friendship Dr. Quo has won in England since he became Ambassador.

Lord Halifax, the Foreign Secretary, is Chancellor of the University. — Reuter.

#### BETTER THAN BOMBS

London, Yesterday.

The Chinese planes which have been flying over Japanese cities scattering leaflets calling on the Japanese to overthrow their military caste have done a very significant as well as a very dramatic thing, says the "News Chronicle" in a leader headed "Better than bombs."

One of the principles of Japan's present government, says the paper, is the suppression of all news unfavourable to the government and its policy, but how is that possible if the news is going to drop from the sky? — Reuter.

#### GERMANY'S NEW 26,000-TON BATTLESHIP

Berlin, Yesterday.

As the first of four new German battleships, the 26,000-ton "Gneisenau" was put into service to-day at the shipbuilding yard of the firm of Deutsche Werke.

The ceremony was extremely simple and consisted of a short speech by the ship's commander, Captain Foerster, followed by the order "hoist flags and pennants."

The new "Gneisenau" is the third vessel to bear that name in the German navy. The first was a sloop which, after long years of service, foundered in a hurricane in December, 1900, when 41 men were drowned.

The second played a heroic part in the Battle of the Falkland Islands in November, 1914; when after five hours severe fighting against odds she was finally sunk by the crew of 764, 577 perished.

The new "Gneisenau" is 226 metres in length, 30 metres broad and has a displacement of 26,000 tons. Her armament consists of nine 26-centimetre guns and twelve 16-centimetre guns. — Trans-Ocean.

#### HOME CRICKET SCORES

London, Yesterday.

The following were the lunch scores in first-class cricket matches started to-day:

At Derby, Somerset 85 for 3 v. Derbyshire.

At Cardiff, Wales 142 for 2 v. Glamorgan.

At Old Trafford, Lancashire 138 for 5 v. Northants.

At Leicester, Warwick 91 for 8 v. Leicester.

At Lord's, Middlesex 130 for 3 v. Notts.

At the Oval, Australians 138 for 1 v. Surrey.

At Dudley, Kent 141 for 1 v. Worcester.

At Leeds, Sussex 87 for 4 v. Yorks.

#### TEA SCORES

The following were the tea scores:

Middlesex 231 for 5 (Edrich 152 not out).

Australians 310 for 3 (Don Bradman 134 not out).

Somerset 158 (G. Pope 5 for 41).

Derbyshire 60 for 1.

Hampshire 253 for 8.

Lancashire 230 for 7.

Warwickshire 112. Leicester 62 for 1.

Kent 336 for 2 (Fagg 114).

Sussex 260. — Reuter.

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